

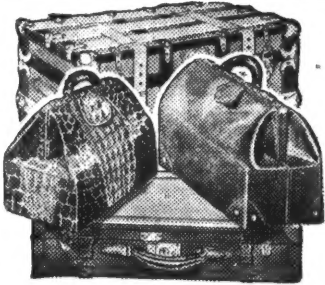
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Mr. and Mrs. Archie Blatchford are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

Dorothy Cole of Locke street is visiting friends in Boston for a few days.

Frank Carse of Chestnut street has been spending several days in New York.

A regular meeting of Andover division, A. O. H., was held on Monday evening.

The Courteous Circle of King's Daughters held a regular meeting on Monday evening.

A son was born on Monday, April 28, to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bailey of Harding street.

The Girls' Friendly society of Christ church held a regular meeting on Monday evening.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick English of High street on Saturday, May 3rd.

Mrs. Abbie M. Smart is again at her home in Andover after passing the winter in Cambridge.

Mrs. Henry Symonds of Washington avenue is visiting her daughter in Woburn for a few days.

Batters have been put up for Roy Bradford's new house which is to be built on Wolcott avenue.

Miss Anne Shepherd of Bartlett street has returned to Andover after a two weeks' visit in Haverhill.

A daughter, Helen, was born on Monday, May 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Philip F. Ripley of Abbot street.

Rev. H. Roswell Bates of New York will preach at both services at the Phillips Academy Chapel next Sunday.

Mrs. John N. Cole of Locke street has been spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph D. Head of Pittsfield.

The South church boys will meet the Lawrence Y. M. C. A. team on the playground on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. H. O. Stevens, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Lowd, has returned to her home in Littleton, N. H.

Miss Clara W. Putnam, principal of the Bradlee School, has been granted a year's leave of absence by the School Board.

Miss Marjory Melledge of Glen Cove, R. I., has been spending several days at the home of her uncle, J. Harold Melledge.

Mrs. Frank R. Shipman has returned to Andover from Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Shipman's return is looked for later in the month.

George Pearce has returned to his home after several weeks' illness following a serious operation in a Boston hospital. He is now improving slowly.

Miss Mary P. Jenkins, clerk for the Merrimack Insurance Company, is convalescing at the Lawrence General hospital after undergoing an operation.

The members of the South church castle of Knights of King Arthur are planning to attend the K. O. K. A. convention which is to be held in Boston on Saturday, May 24.

On Saturday, May 17, the K. O. K. A. boys of the South church will hold a track meet with the Employed Boys of Methuen. The meet will take place in the latter town.

The Andover Canoe club will hold an opening at the home of Horace Hale Smith on Lupine road on Saturday evening, May 10. Invitations for the event have been issued.

A regular meeting of the School Committee was held on Tuesday evening, at which the resignations of Miss Lucy Anne Allen, Miss Mabel A. Ward and Miss Gertrude F. Sauer were received.

All persons having dishes which were taken home from the recent Bakery Sale, and who do not know where the dishes belong, are asked to leave the same with Mrs. Colver J. Stone, Locke street, so that they may be returned to the proper owners.

The awarding of the class parts at Pynchard school took place this week. Miss Lucretia Lowe will be the valedictorian, Miss Helen Swanton the salutatorian, while the two essayists, who are also chosen for excellence in school work, will be Miss Ada Matthews and Leslie Mander.

Among the speakers at the Phillips Academy Commencement will be Rev. Alfred Rodman Hussey, '88, of Baltimore, Md., who will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, June 8, and Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, who is expected to make an address at the Alumni dinner on Friday, June 13. The complete program will appear later.

Among the names unintentionally omitted, in the report of the May breakfast are those of Mrs. George W. Mears who arrived among the earliest and earnestly worked until the last dish was packed; Mrs. Omar Jenkins, chairman of the committee on arrangements; and Mrs. Charles Buchanan, president of the Corps, upon whom falls the burden of responsibility, and who, by her energetic efforts, helped to make this one of the most successful of May breakfasts. There were also two more willing workers, William Buchanan and Charlie Damon, who carried all the dishes used at the May breakfast from G. A. R. hall to the Town hall.

Mrs. E. Y. Hincks is confined to her home on Main street by illness.

A son was born on April 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cairnie of Howarth court.

Miss Annie Burke has accepted the position of clerk in Miss Porter's store.

The R. C. O. A. will hold their dancing party in the town hall this evening.

P. A. Hall of Haverhill has moved into one of the new houses recently built on Maple avenue.

The Children's Day concert of the South Church Sunday school will take place on Sunday, June 8.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the West church will meet with Mrs. William Corliss next Thursday afternoon.

Miss Irene Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin of Woodland Road, has recovered from her recent illness.

The auction sale of furniture at "Hillholm" will take place tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. A barge will leave the corner of Main and Chestnut streets at 1:15.

Inventories of the following Andover estates were filed at probate court, Salem, on Monday: Sarah E. Baker, \$900.00; Enna M. Burt, \$4035.56; Calvin Mears, \$1124.21.

Reserve next Tuesday evening for the Educational Aid Fund entertainment at the Grange. A pleasing program is promised and the proceeds will go towards a worthy object.

Mrs. Guy Bickell, clerk in the Metropolitan, is making her home on Bartlett street at the residence of F. E. Wright, owing to the removal of Dr. Bickell and family to Beverly.

Rev. Sarah A. Dixon of Tewksbury will preach at the West church next Sunday morning. The evening service at the Osgood schoolhouse will be led by G. E. Bennett, also of Tewksbury.

A pleasant gathering is anticipated this evening at the anniversary entertainment to be given by Andover lodge, I. O. O. F., and Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge. A mixed program will be carried out and refreshments will be served.

The Andover Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers will observe Ladies' Day at the South church on Tuesday, May 27. Plans are now being made by the ladies of the church for the entertainment of the guests who will attend.

Joseph Morrill and Miss Mae Morrill of School street will attend the banquet held this evening by the Merrimack Valley Past Noble Grand's association at the Elks Home in Haverhill. The occasion is the annual gentlemen's night of the association.

On Sunday evening, May 25, at 7:30 o'clock, a musical service similar to the one of last year, will be given by the Free church choir. A short address will be made by the pastor, and there will be congregational responsive readings and hymns. A detailed program will be given later.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Eastman, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Allen visited the Soldiers' Home in Chelsea last Sunday, and carried as pleasant remembrances several very pretty Maybaskets which they gave to the inmates of Gen. William F. Bartlett Corps room and to the two Andover veterans who are now in the Home.

A very interesting mothers' meeting was held at the South church on Thursday afternoon at which an address was given by Mrs. Dahlman of the District Nurses' Association, Boston. The speaker related in a very pleasing way several of her experiences among the poor of Boston in teaching them how to live to the best advantage as regards health and morals. A group of trios was also sung by Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Jackson, which were much appreciated. Following the meeting, tea was served to the mothers.

George L. Scott, son of David M. Scott of Frye Village, has entered the Moody School for Boys at Mt. Hermon.

The Livingstone class of the Free church Sunday school held a pleasant sociable in the church vestry last evening.

John Dewhurst of Rochdale, England, has come to Andover to make his home here. Mr. Dewhurst is a cousin of Walter S. Rhodes of this town.

J. Judson Dean, who has been occupying the Knowles residence on Funchard avenue, has purchased the house built and occupied for a long time past by John N. Cole on Locke street. He will remodel and occupy the same September first.

Smith & Dove Departments Closed

The hocking and sorting departments of the Smith & Dove Mfg. Co. were closed on Thursday night until further notice.

Natural History Outing

The service on Sunday afternoons at Christ church will be discontinued hereafter throughout the summer.

The Andover Natural History society will have a field meeting Saturday, May 10, for the observation and study of birds. The party will leave the postoffice, weather permitting, at 3 o'clock p.m., proceeding through Elm street, Wolcott avenue and Carmel Woods to the old railroad. Basket lunch at 5:15 in the vicinity of Den Rock. Come yourself and bring friends who may be interested.

J. E. HOLT, Secretary

Lecture by L. D. Sherman

The South Church Men's club will hold its last meeting of the season in the church vestry on Friday evening, May 16, and on that occasion an illustrated travel talk on his trip to the Pacific will be given by L. D. Sherman. The rare excellence of views taken by Mr. Sherman is well known to Andover people, and the evening will undoubtedly be one of great interest. All friends of the club will be cordially welcomed.

Officers of the organization for the coming year will also be elected at this meeting.

Stole Jewelry in Andover

Some of the mystery connected with several of the thefts which have been going on of late at Phillips Academy has been cleared up by the detention in Philadelphia of an Englishman giving the name of William E. Wellington of London. When arrested Wellington had upon him jewelry belonging to several Phillips boys, and there were found among his belongings several valuable books taken from the Phillips library.

Wellington came to Andover at the opening of the spring vacation, and while living at Dr. Leitch's sanitarium, took his meals at the Phillips Inn. He appeared to be well educated and very agreeable, spoke with a decided English accent, and wore expensive clothes. During his stay of four or five weeks he met many of the Academy boys and he became quite friendly with them, visiting them frequently in their rooms.

When he left town several articles of value were missed throughout the school, among them being personal belongings of Dan Hanna and D. C. Armour, two of the students.

During his visit here he made frequent trips to Boston where he apparently had no difficulty in getting credit from several large firms. He also received a large quantity of clothes at Dan Donahue's in Lawrence by claiming that he was a student at Andover and the son of wealthy parents.

Wellington is being held at the immigration station at Philadelphia, pending the result of an investigation as to whether or not he is insane and can be deported. It has been found that he was sent out of this country in May, 1912, under similar conditions.

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Tariff Measure May Have Hard
Sledding in Senate

MODIFICATIONS ARE LIKELY

Free Sugar and Free Wool Provisions
Expected to Prevail as Agreed in
House—Delay on Wool Schedule is
Sought by Wool Manufacturers—
Currency Legislation Sidetracked

Washington, May 8.—It will be June 1 and perhaps later before the senate committee on finance is through with the tariff bill and able to report it back to the senate. This information was conveyed to the president by some of the senate leaders.

Hoke Smith, prominent on the finance committee, was a caller on the president yesterday afternoon. Smith estimates that it will take the committee at least three weeks to get the bill shaped up and reported back to the senate. This means in all probability that it will be Aug. 1 before the tariff bill becomes a law. It may even be later than that.

Many senators think it will take fully two months for the debate in the senate and that the bill will not be through that body before Aug. 1. After it passes the senate, the question of how much time will be taken in conference depends on the importance of the changes made in the senate.

The opinion is growing that there will be many changes in detail in the bill in the senate and that a few important modifications are likely. Free cattle and free wheat have strong backing and stand a good show of being put into the bill in the upper house. Free lemons may prevail in the senate. Sentiment for such a provision is strong, the house having reduced the duty but not putting them on the free list. It is believed free sugar in three years and free wool will prevail in the senate as well as in the house.

With the summer thus used up on the tariff bill, the chances of currency legislation at this session would at least be minimized.

Philip Frankel of Cleveland, attorney for the National Cloak Manufacturers' association, has arrived in Washington to make a fight for an amendment to the tariff bill by which it will be provided that schedule K, the woolen schedule, shall not take effect until six months after the passage of the Underwood measure.

The association he represents urges that manufacturers should have at least that length of time to adjust themselves to the effect of the radical cut in the wool tariffs. Senator Pomeroy will try to secure a White House audience for Frankel.

Mann Blocks Bill's Passage
Washington, May 8.—Amid clamor that at times drowned voices of champions and opponents, the tariff revision bill, the first Democratic tariff measure in twenty years, was rushed toward passage in the house at a late hour last night.

Just before 11 o'clock, however, Republican Leader Mann blocked the plan for the immediate passage of the measure on a technicality, delaying action until today and the house adjourned at 11:05 p. m.

BROCKTON HEADS THE LIST

World's Banner Shoe City. With Lynn and Haverhill Second and Third
Brockton, Mass., May 4.—Brockton leads the world in the value of shoes manufactured, according to the latest report of the Massachusetts state board of statistics.

For the past year the capital invested in the shoe business in Brockton was \$20,000,000; material used, \$25,000,000; wages paid, \$10,500,000; average yearly earnings per capita, \$645; value of product, \$49,000,000.

Lynn is second on the list and Haverhill third.

PUSHCARTS BARRED

Ten Thousand Will Disappear From
Streets of New York

New York, May 7.—The board of aldermen passed unanimously an ordinance taking from the streets of New York its 10,000 pushcarts.

The measure provides for giving peddlers special stand privileges at the approaches to East river bridges and in certain city squares. Its passage was bitterly opposed by the peddlers.

Sutherland Held Without Bail
Abington, Mass., May 8.—James M. Sutherland of Whitman was held without bail for the grand jury when arraigned on a charge of murder of his wife, Winnifred, in the second district court here.

Tetrazzini Claims Boston as Home
New York, May 8.—Tetrazzini, sailing for Europe, waved an American flag and declared that henceforth she will call Boston her home, and will always be glad to get back to that musical city.

Aviator Crushed to Death
Akron, O., May 6.—In a drop of 200 feet Charles Carlson, 24, an aviator, was killed. He was crushed under the engine.

If You Didn't Start Right

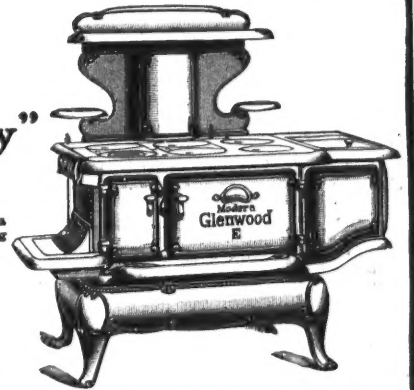
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BASEBALL

Royals Win 16 to 5

The Royals defeated a team from the Diamond Spring last Saturday afternoon on the local playstead by the score of 16 to 5. Donovan and Dushame of the local nine played exceptionally good games, the former in the pitcher's box and the latter making a home run and three two-base hits. The score:

ROYALS										
	ab	r	h	po	a	e				
Welch, 2b	6	2	3	3	5	0				
Kyle, cf	5	1	2	2	0	0				
Dushame, 3b	4	3	4	0	1	3				
E. Collins, c	5	2	2	10	1	0				
C. Bowman lf	3	2	2	1	0	0				
G. Collins, 1b	4	2	2	9	1	0				
Lund, ss	5	2	3	1	4	1				
P. Donovan, p	5	0	1	1	3	1				
W. O'Connell, rf	5	2	1	0	0	0				
Totals	42	16	21	27	15	6				

DIAMOND SPRING

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
King, 2b	5	1	2	3	1	0
Honastor, cf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Lippold, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
White, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Burckell, 1b	4	0	0	6	2	2
Burthel, p	3	1	1	1	3	0
Carney, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	2
Vallingcourt, ss	4	0	1	4	0	0
Ellingsworth, c	4	0	1	6	0	0
Totals	37	5	8	11	24	8

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6
Royals	10	1	10	7	0	6
D. S.	0	10	0	0	1	0

Two-base hits, Dushame 3, G. Collins, P. Donovan, White 2, King. Home runs, Dushame. Stolen bases, Dushame, E. Collins, King, W. O'Connell. Sacrifice hits, C. Bowman, G. Collins. Left on bases, Royals 7, Diamond Spring 6. First base on balls, by Donovan 1, by Burckell 2. Hit by pitched balls, O'Connell. Struck out, by Donovan 10, by Burckell 6. Wild pitches, Burckell 1. Time, 2h. 20m. Umpire, McIntosh and Deardon.

Eagles Won

The Eagles defeated the Athletics by the score of 14 to 7 on Brothers Field last week. The hero was Harry Payne, who knocked a home run with three men on bases. The lineup was as follows:

ATHLETES										
	ab	r	h	po	a	e				
Lindsay, c	5	1	2	3	1	0				
Allison, p	4	0	0	1	0	0				
Adams, 1b	4	0	0	1	0	0				
Fallon, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	0				
Temple, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0				
McCoubrie, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0				
Fletcher, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0				
Berry, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0				
cf. R. Donaldson, L. Daley										
Cole, rf										
If. H. Pomeroy, H. Carse										

South Church Boys Compete

Last Saturday afternoon at H. F. Foster's farm, the South church boys played an extremely interesting game of baseball. The evenly matched teams were captained by William Abbott and Dana J. Lowd. At the end of the game the score was 8 to 4 in favor of the latter's team. Owing to a strained ligament in his arm, Pike, who pitched for Abbott's aggregation, was ineffective, and was replaced in the fifth inning by Coach Cushing, who, although hit quite freely was not scored on because of the excellent support of his teammates. E. Bryant, pitching in five

form, did the box work for Lowd's team. The features were the hitting of Napier, the fielding of Pike, and a double play which was cleverly executed by L. Cheever, without assistance. The lineup:

ABBOTT										
	ab	r	h	po	a	e				
A. Johnson, 1b	5	1	2	3	5	0				
Green, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0				
W. Pike, p. rf	4	0	0	1	0	0				
L. Cheever, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	0				
B. Morrill, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0				
A. Cole, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0				
W. Abbott, rf, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0				
J. Cushing, p, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0				
W. Holden, c	4	0	0	1	0	0				
Score by innings:										
Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Abbott's	10	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Lowd's	3	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	8	
Umpire, P. French.										

SOCCER

The Andover Hearts and the Olympic Junior Reserves met at Glen Forest on last Saturday afternoon before a good number of spectators. The game started at a brisk pace and in a short time Whitehead was tested with a shot from Brennan which he cleared in a clever manner. The home team attacked the Hearts' goal, but Campbell and Young cleared in good shape. The Hearts again pressed and Low centering to Nicoll, that player scored for the Hearts. Half time ended with the Hearts 1, Olympics 0.

On resumption, play was of an exciting nature and R. Gunter took the leather down the field and beat Campbell. The Hearts pressed and a corner resulted, but the ball went behind. Brennan sent in a long shot, beating Whitehead for the second time. The Olympics got down on several occasions, but found the visitors' defense sound. The best goal of the day was scored by P. Campbell, who got the ball and after a fine run down the left wing sent it into the net, making the third for the Hearts. The game ended, Andover Hearts 3, Olympic Junior Reserves 1.

The teams:
Hearts—J. Campbell; C. Young, M. Brennan; J. Ramsay, G. Haddon, R. Nicoll; P. Campbell, Low, J. Nicoll, N. Brennan, T. Davis.

Olympic Juniors—Whitehead; Murphy, Clarke; P. Gunter, Jones, Robinson; R. Gunter, W. Jones, Wood, Guthrie, Sutcliffe.
Referee, P. Kelly; linesmen, McGraw, Turner. Time, two 45-minute halves.

BOWLING

Last Thursday evening the final game of the season was played on the Hillside alleys between the New Mill and the Hacklers. The New Mill has 76 victories and the Hacklers 72. Much depended on the final game; if the Hacklers won four points it would make a tie. But the New Mill came down determined to win, and win they did by a total pinfall of 1345 to 1328, and headed the Hillside league for the second time, with the Hacklers in second place each time. Nicoll was high roller, getting 107 in single string and 306 for three-string total; Skea was second with 110 in single string and 290 for three-string total. The summary:

NEW MILL										
	81	89	86	256						
McCrory	100	83	80	263						
Nicoll	88	109	109	306						
Hughes	91	84	82	257						
Anderson	82	88	93	263						
Totals	442	453	450	1345						
HACKLERS										
McDonald	91	88	96	275						
Frazier	82	74	101	257						
J. Nicoll	92	99	81	272						
Haddon	84	78	72	234						
Skea	110	92	88	290						
Totals	459	431	438	1328						

League Standing

	won	lost	pinfall
New Mill	79	41	38297
Hacklers	73	47	38428
Office	57	65	37474
Bleach House	55	65	37251
Repair Shop	51	69	37180
Old Mill	45	75	37087

Temperance Notes

The Abbott Village lodge, No. 45, I. O. G. T., met in the village hall on Monday evening. Visitors were present from Andover lodge and Brook lodge of Methuen. This lodge will visit the Andover lodge in a body on Tuesday, May 13. The lodge will also hold an automobile ride to Merrimack lodge of Haverhill on Wednesday, May 21. The following officers were installed for the ensuing quarter, by the installing officer, Herbert Ford: Hamilton Craig, C. T.; George Keith, V. T.; Robert Auchterlonie, P. C. T.; Mrs. Alexander Valentine, secretary, Shawheen Rd.; Maggie Valentine, A. S.; Margaret Alexander, F. S.; Mrs. Charles Valentine, T.; Margaret Keenan, C.; Etta Jack, R.; Peter Campbell, pianist; James Edgar, guard; Thomas Davis, sentinel; Charles Valentine, E. S.; James Turner, marshal; Alice Moore, deputy marshal. Finance committee, James Turner, Alexander B. Valentine, Hugh Moore.

The Pride of Andover juvenile lodge, I. O. G. T., met in Abbott Village hall on Wednesday evening, Sister Jennie Valentine, chief templar, presiding. One candidate was initiated into the order. After the business of the lodge was dispensed with, Mrs. James Turner, deputy grand superintendent of juvenile work, installed the following officers: Margaret, McGrath, C. T.; Etta Brown, V. T.; Jennie Valentine, P. C. T.; Minnie Frazer, secretary; John Stewart, ass't. secretary; Mrs. Mary Smith, financial secretary; Herbert Ford, treasurer; Marion Manning, chaplain; William Nicoll, marshal; Martha Campbell, deputy marshal; John McGrath, guard; Hector Keith, sentinel. The lodge will hold its second birthday anniversary on Wednesday, May 28, and a committee was appointed to arrange a program for this occasion.

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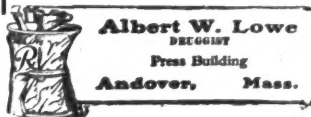
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Railroad Situation Will Keep
Legislature in Session

THE STATE'S WAGE EARNERS

They Number 84,033, With Average Yearly Earnings of \$532.76—Statistics Showing Highest and Lowest Averages—Legislation For Care of Blind and Deaf Children

Speaker Cushing remarked the other day that it did not seem to him that the legislature is creating as much interest as in former years, and the same thing has caused comment from other sources. Channing Cox says that the only big thing before the legislature now is the railroad situation, and as house leader he expects to get that cleared away by the middle of June, so that the legislature can prorogue until next January.

There has been but few matters of great general interest, like, for example, an alien bill which should offend Japan. That would make a hot session. The railroad situation is too complicated a question to stand as a matter of general interest. The Republican party is pledged to a regulatory bill. One will be enacted. But it is clear now that it will be neither the public service commission control bill nor the Washburn bill. And if the Republicans don't agree the governor is ready with a bill of his own.

This, in time, will develop into a matter of quite general interest. It is about the only thing, and without it the legislature would go home in a couple of weeks.

Yearly Earnings

The current report of the bureau of statistics upon Massachusetts manufactures presents some figures of great importance upon the subject of wages. It is shown that the total amount paid in wages in 1812 establishments, in all industries, for one year, is \$311,148,856, and the average number of wage earners is 584,033. The average yearly earnings, for all industries, regardless of sex, age or skill, of the wage earners is \$532.76.

There are many industries in which the average earnings exceed this amount, chief among which, on account of the large number of skilled persons employed, may be mentioned foundry and machine shop products, electric machinery, apparatus and supplies, marble and stone work, monuments and tombstones, automobiles (including bodies and parts), and musical instruments, pianos and organs.

Best Paid Trades

The industries showing highest average earnings is that of malt liquors. And the figure is \$929. The average in boots and shoes is \$594. Higher average earnings in this industry occur in Brockton, men's shoes principally being manufactured. The figure is \$665. In Lynn, where women's shoes are principally manufactured, the figure is \$647. In Haverhill it is \$622. In leather, tanned, curried and finished, the average earnings are \$566. In paper and wood pulp the earnings are \$519. In cotton goods, including cotton small wares, they are \$408. In woolen and worsted goods they are \$460.

Where Probe Will Start

Among the industries where the average yearly earnings are less than \$400 we find confectionary, \$348 per year; hosiery and knit goods, \$395 a year; furnishing goods, \$393, and corsets, \$362. There is now a minimum wage commission in Massachusetts and a white slave investigating commission, both to start work at the same time upon the subject of women's wages. Their start will be made upon the figures above given.

Williams Wins Tariff Fight

Senator Lombard Williams has qualified as one of the readiest and most persistent of legislators for the things he starts out to get. The bill that has had the advantage of his paternal care this year is the one to exempt from taxation the funds devoted to the perpetual care of cemeteries. There has not been in the legislature this year a measure so bitterly fought, because of the argument that it let down the bars of taxation when all of the public authorities were striving to keep them up and erect new ones. But the other day the bill got its finishing touches and went to Governor Foss, who signed it without raising a question.

New Training Methods

Special legislation is proposed this year for the care of the blind and the deaf. In the case of the blind a report is asked from the Massachusetts commission as to better employment. The deaf get consideration in the form of a recommendation from the board of education, which suggests a special agent to have supervision. A further recommendation is made, which promises a sweeping change in the method of educating deaf children. They are no longer to be kept by themselves, but are to be allowed to mingle, to some extent, with normal children, in order that they may absorb the ways of such children. The report of the commission of the

blind, it is said, may take the form of a similar recommendation. This seems rather a radical departure in the education of unfortunate children, and one that will attract a great deal of attention from other states who follow Massachusetts in her legislation and practice.

Labeling Milk

Now that the Ellis bill is killed for good the only piece of milk legislation before the legislature is the Meaney bill. It seems as if there were to be something done with this bill, inasmuch as it apparently has the support of producers, contractors and consumers. The bill is comparatively simple. It provides that out of state milk shall bear a label and state whether or not it has been pasteurized. The bill is just coming out of the committee on agriculture. The supporters of the Ellis bill see in its defeat the hand of Governor Foss, who once vetoed the bill and gained some strength in the country districts thereby. The governor did not want the bill to come to him this year, according to the consumers' league. Their allegation is based upon the fact that the few men in the legislature who can be said to enjoy close friendship with the governor used their influence against the passage of the Ellis bill.

Special Agents

Specialization seems to be the feature of this legislature. It has little patience with big problems, but has delved into a maze of little special ones. For instance, there is to be a corps of special agents in every city and town to investigate the condition of needy widows with children. There is to be a special agent for the education of the deaf, another for the care of the blind. There are to be additional special inspectors to report occupational diseases. Every physician is made a specialist to report them. Every physician is made a specialist to report upon the drugs which he gives to a patient. There are to be special inspectors of public service corporations, and even specialists in alshrips.

If anybody doubts that an age of specialization has settled upon the general court he should make it his business to come up to the state house and run through the docket of bills that are daily being considered.

"Alienist" Wanted

One of the most interesting specialists of all, not mentioned in the list above, is the agent who is somehow going to supervise the education of the alien populations of Massachusetts in the true inwardness of American institutions. He is to be appointed by the board of free library commissioners, and is to enjoy a salary of not more than \$2000 a year. He is to be charged with the duty of connecting foreign speaking men, women and children with the public library system of the state.

Here is the job for a prodigy of an agent. He should have been appointed in time to attend the May festival of the socialists in Tremont Temple, in Boston, where there was disorder among the delegations who wanted to plant their red flag in place of three American flags which were on the platform. The leaders of the meeting, of course, promptly put an end to such folly as this. But the incident only serves to remind one afresh that the red elements of Massachusetts society are sorely in need of some kind of practical education in the ideals of an American commonwealth.

Incidentally, it may be remarked that a little special statute, just signed by the governor, will hereafter prevent the display of the red flag in public, on any street, or in any public place in the commonwealth. That may help some.

Legislative Meddling

Translated into other words, the effort to get special service everywhere is a desire to regulate everybody and everything. If this is socialism, it has reached the age of frenzy. Within the last half a dozen years the business of the legislature has increased 50 per cent., owing to the petitions for some kind of legislative meddling. It is only the existence of a stable constitution that prevents the enactment of most operative laws. And even this existence is frequently placed in jeopardy by the pressure of constitutional amendment, which would give the legislature a power that, in most instances, fortunately, it does not possess.

McEtrick Rises

Representative Michael J. McEtrick of Boston, formerly senator and formerly congressman in the district now represented by James Curley, has responded nobly to the call for a champion in the legislature for the Underwood tariff bill.

While Eddie Hathaway of New Bedford was watching his tariff resolutions slide through the house, condemning the low tariff and asking that hearings be given upon tariff rates, Mr. McEtrick was busy with a stub of a pencil preparing a new draft which should encourage and cheer the Democratic administration in Washington. From the McEtrick resolutions this had is culled:

"For many years prior to the great Civil war the administration of government was prosperously conducted under low tariff conditions, with the result that universal prosperity was generously reflected on nation and state alike."

Somebody who remembered the generations of public service rendered by the ward 17 representative remarked that Mr. McEtrick was working in his personal reminiscences.

ABBOTT VILLAGE

Sharwood Avery and Misses Besie and Cora Stevens of Nashua, N. H., spent the week-end visiting at the home of George Livingstone, Brechin Terrace.

William Rae and Archibald MacLaren of Brechin Terrace spent the week-end visiting friends in Watertown.

Mrs. Thomas Low of Brechin Terrace is confined to her room this week by illness.

Mrs. Mary Smith and Miss Annie Tannahill of Red Spring road spent the week-end visiting friends in Boston.

George Petrie of Shawshen road has removed to Cuba street.

Mrs. Alice Lindsay has returned home to New Haven, Conn., after a long illness at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Leslie, Red Spring road.

Miss Davina Guthrie of Frye Village is spending a few days at the home of her parents in Brechin Terrace.

Misses Isabella and Annie Soutar of Melrose spent the week-end visiting friends on Cuba street.

William McDermitt of Brechin Terrace has returned to work again for the Smith & Dove Company after a long illness.

Among the arrivals this week on the Cunard liner Franconia, Liverpool to Boston, booked for Andover, were Mr. and Mrs. James McKee and family of Killyleigh, Ireland. They will reside on Maple avenue.

The Andover United football club will hold a business meeting in the Abbott Village hall next Monday evening.

The Independent baseball club of the village will play the Five Points club of South Lawrence tomorrow afternoon on the old P. A. campus.

Mrs. Lawrence Scannell of Red Spring road underwent a successful operation this week in the Lawrence General Hospital.

REINDICTED AS MURDERER

Assault Charge Also Made by Grand Jury Against Deslovers

Providence, May 8.—A second indictment for murder and another charging him with a criminal assault were returned against Henri Deslovers by a special grand jury called by Attorney General Rice when Deslovers was freed on a habeas corpus writ last Friday.

Deslovers is accused of the murder of Mrs. Ankele Parmentier, whose headless body was found in the Blackstone river at Woonsocket last June. The failure of the state to bring the case to trial within the six months limit resulted in Deslovers being freed by the court.

He was immediately rearrested on a statutory charge on which the grand jury indicted him yesterday. Rice says he is now ready to proceed with the trial on the murder indictment.

Deslovers was arraigned and pleaded not guilty to both indictments. His counsel were given until today to change the plea in the murder case.

NO FRANCHISE FOR WOMEN

Measure Thrown Out of House of Commons by Vote of 266 to 219

London, May 8.—The fate of the woman's suffrage bill was sealed last night by the vote of more than fifty Irish Nationalists, who voted against it. The bill, whereby it was sought to enfranchise 6,000,000 women, was rejected by a majority of 47; the vote stood 266 to 219.

As the members of the house gathered for the afternoon session, news came of the latest outrage laid to the militants. This was the burning of St. Catherine's church, one of the finest in the suburb of Hatchem. The fire started mysteriously at noon and in an hour the edifice was in ruins.

Whether there is any chance that the present parliament will pass a bill of more limited character may be doubted.

ASSASSIN OF KING
TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

Schinas Jumps From Window of Salonica Police Station

Athens, May 7.—Aleko Schinas, who assassinated King George of Greece on March 18 at Salonica, committed suicide by flinging himself out of a window of the police station in that city.

Schinas, who was a native of Thessaly, killed the king by firing point blank into his back while he was walking along the streets of Salonica accompanied by an aide de camp. He gave as an explanation of the crime that in 1911 he had applied for assistance at the king's palace and had been driven away by an aide de camp.

A few days ago doctors examined Schinas and announced that he was suffering from tuberculosis.

Bridegroom Electrocuted
Rockland, Me., May 6.—Coming in contact with a live wire, Weston Arrey, aged 19, recently a bridegroom, was fatally shocked. He was painting an electric pole and died after being removed from the wires.

Curtis' Resignation Accepted
Washington, May 6.—Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo has accepted the resignation of Edwin U. Curtis as collector of the port of Boston.

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The Royals' Dance

There was a large attendance at the informal dance held last Friday evening by the Royals in the Town hall. Former dancing parties of this organization have always been very enjoyable, and Friday evening's event was no exception to the rule. Excellent music was furnished by the Columbian orchestra. Those in charge of the affair were as follows: Floor director, Harry Brock; aids, Charles Bowman, Walter O'Connell, M. J. Brennan, George Collins, Thos. Kyle, D. Fitzgerald, R. Cole, and T. Madden.

Among those present were the following: Christine Sullivan, Mary Daly, Bertha Burns, Ida Burns, Emma Hughes, Catherine Carmichael, Bessie McLeod, Marjorie Lemere, Esther Butterfield, Sadie Hitchens, Julia Lynch, Sarah Hilton, Marion Doyle, Sarah McGlynn, Katharine McShane, Marguerite Taylor, Eleanor Hayes, Bessie Hayes, Jennie Barrett, Margaret Barrett, Helen Murphy, Mary Burns, Annie Burns, Mary Maroney, Blanche Cross, Mary Driscoll, Annie Walker, Charlotte Dick, Helen Guilfoyle, Sadie Lynch, Mary Daley, Annie Daley, Helen Marshall, Margaret Black, Helen Crossley, Ida Fontaine, Mary Walsh, Josephine Doran, Susie Burns, Pearl Brown, Helen Mackie, Bertha Judge, Lucy Lassus, Mary Porter, Agnes Doyle, Addie Baker.

Messrs. Joseph Carroll, Thomas Platt, John Leary, Michael Curtin, Howard Morgan, Arthur Gray, Wm. White, John Sweeney, John Killacky, William Dryden, James Morrill, Guy Webster, Henry McGlynn, William Manning, Joseph Daly, Leo Lacasse, Edward Leary, Thomas Sullivan, Jos. Sullivan, Maurice Welch, Frank Howard, Fred James, John Glenn, Daniel Doyle, James Doyle, Clarence Eastwood, Thomas McLeod, Herbert Lyle, John Royer, Timothy Madden, Arthur Clark, William Newton, Fred Keuhner, George Collins, Michael Brennan, William Abbott, Edward Duchesne, William Driscoll, Fred Westcott, George Black, George Merrill, Joseph Daley, Frank Conley, William Dryden, Frank Cronin, Geo. Killacky.

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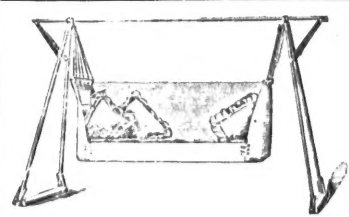
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SOME PLAIN STATEMENTS ON A LIVE SUBJECT

Several good friends have queried why the Townsman did not advocate certain candidates for the Board of Public Works, and why we did not show up weaknesses of certain other candidates who were not approved by many citizens. The answer to this query would better be straightforward, and perhaps it had better go further than to state the attitude of the Townsman, and take in the attitude of the individuals closely connected with the Townsman as well.

It seemed as if the issue was clear and distinct. The men who were candidates had lived in the town for many years; but the worth of some of them was very evidently unknown to many voters, or the results would have been different, and the weaknesses of others was also apparently unknown or the result would have been different.

Some of them were personally opposed by the management of the Townsman because of a more intimate knowledge of their weak points than it seemed wise to put upon paper in the preliminary discussion. It is true that the Townsman not only did believe but still believes that the majority elected to the Board of Public Works are not the right men, and it is furthermore true that at least two of this majority were urged openly and frankly to refrain from pushing their candidacy for the office. Politically this was not a wise action, but as the proper attitude of man to man, it was the honorable course to be pursued, according to the ethics that had been taught to those who took this course.

Believing that the voters would make the test themselves on the score of "efficiency," entirely without any reference to personality, it seemed best to close the campaign last Friday with an appeal for a large vote and an endorsement of those men who have through successes in their own private lines, shown themselves best fitted for the positions. A small vote, less interest than the question demanded, and personal prejudice, all combined to bring about a result which apparently is going to demand hereafter much more open treatment and discussion than was given to the canvass preliminary to the election.

Some "Reasons" That the Public Advance

Three "reasons" have been assigned, by people who could not be accused of being friends of the writer, for the result which came in the selection of a Board of Public Works last Saturday. We think there are many other "reasons" besides these assigned, but because they are the subject of most of the street comment at the present time, it may not be out of place to consider them. The "reasons" are as follows:

Because one candidate was an employee of one particular corporation.

Because a second candidate was an employee of another particular corporation.

Because the writer had offended some people in pushing through the particular proposition under which a new Board of Public Works was created, and because, furthermore, he deserved a rebuke for attempting to tell the people of Andover what they should do.

Taking these "reasons" in the order in which they have been stated, let us consider them briefly. A farmer in business in Andover, depending upon the industry and prosperity of the town, stated to a leading citizen during the canvass prior to the election, that one of the candidates who was defeated was "the much better man for the place, but he would not vote for him because he was employed by the particular corporation marked Reason No. 1." The attitude of this farmer was the attitude of many men either in business in Andover, or in other ways dependent upon the prosperity of Andover business. Every man who could be led to believe that somebody else was in better circumstances than he was, was made an opponent of the candidate whom that man supported and the cause which he believed in, solely because of the prosperity of the one and the lack of it of the other.

What applies to the first "reason" applies with equal force, or perhaps more, to the second "reason." It was another corporation, and another candidate who worked for the corporation, and two of the "reasons" are thus disposed of for the moment.

The third "reason" did not mean to exist in connection with this particular problem. Although the individual involved in this "reason" was the originator of the idea that a consolidated public service must mean more efficiency, he had become decidedly tired of giving his time, his interest, and his thought, to service which a few cheap minds in the town had delighted to pick flaws in, while they themselves lived on the destruction they could bring about as an offset to the construction which he endeavored to secure.

Because this attitude was so firmly fixed in his mind, he stayed away from the first meeting held by a group of men who took up the problem this present year. He became interested only upon the earnest solicitation of a number of men, several of whom promptly got out from under when they found that certain factions in the town were going to combat the proposition. It hasn't been his habit to desert when called to a duty and so he stuck, forsaking much personal pleasure, giving up a great deal of his time already over-employed, that the matter might be brought before the people, not on any personal grounds whatever, but solely on the basis of the efficiency to be secured. Many of the men who could have by courageous union of forces brought about a different result in the election last Saturday, deserted one by one for business and political reasons. A few stuck, a few who showed that even though maligned and abused because they were prosperous, they still had the courage of their convictions to do an honest public service if they could.

There is nothing to be regretted by any of those who were defeated in connection with the result of last Saturday, so far as personal feeling is concerned. Better public service will come in Andover by the weight of public opinion, whoever leads it, in due time.

Referring back to the two first "reasons," there was a time when the man who stood up and said that to be employed by a great industrial business debarred a man from public office would have been tarred and feathered, and ridden out of town on a rail. Those were the times when communities like Andover held out the hand of welcome to any business which would give employment to the people of the community and bring prosperity to all classes. There was a time when the best men in the life of a town were the big tax-payers whose interests were not termed selfish and whose interests so far as we have seen them here in Andover never were selfish, and never less so than they are now.

The Real Reasons That Will Soon Appear

Turning from the "reasons" quoted, which a certain portion of the public have assigned for the election results of last Saturday, let us consider for a moment the prospects ahead of the new Board which, if fully understood by the citizens may reveal some other "reasons" why the Board was elected as it is now constituted.

The five men who make up the present Board of Public Works are estimable citizens. They are men without exception who possess good character and honest purpose where the play of prejudice does not enter into their actions. But constituted into a working Board, three of them must be classed as opponents of the system now in vogue for caring for Public Works of Andover. To the three may be added a fourth one, so far as any public knowledge is concerned as to the attitude of the gentleman from Ballardvale. There is but one open and active supporter of the present system, Mr. Rogers, whose courage may be relied upon, and whose judgment will be a bulwark for good service in the conflicts sure to come when the Board takes up the important problems ahead of it. With this situation, the town finds itself attempting to remedy a most serious condition with a hostile organization in charge of the work. Why it is hostile will come out very soon. Enough to say at the present time, that when it is appreciated that every one of the forces which has been injured by recent legislation affecting the control of Andover Public Works was active in support of these three men, perhaps it will be understood why they secured as many votes as they did. Those back of the "horses and drivers," those back of the various town house interests, those back of and including the men employed on the highways in easy, soft jobs, those who have had to do in a business way with the fire department, realized that with the forces in control of both the Public Works department and the Fire department, under which they had worked along so easily for a long time, things would go much more to their satisfaction than they would with an alert, aggressive, new Board to take up the problem of reorganization.

Time for Frank Discussion

We wish for the very best out of this Board of Public Works. We wish it might be possible a year hence to say that we were mistaken when we predicted bad management and failure under their control. Nothing would please us better than to turn out bad prophets in this respect, but the day of miracles will have to return if a Board tied up as a majority of this one is, can change its methods and secure results any different from those secured in past years.

We shall talk very frankly about these matters during the coming months. We shall talk with all possible fairness to the men who have the work in charge, but in that spirit of fairness the time has come for the public to be informed. The columns of the Townsman will be open freely for all kinds of explanations which the Board may desire to make of the actions which we shall criticize, but from our standpoint we shall try to see that the mistake of silence marking our pre-election canvass is not repeated.

NEW BOARD CHOSEN

Members of New Public Works Board Elected at Special Meeting. Light Vote Cast

The special town meeting for the election of the members of the new Board of Public Works was held on Saturday, May 3, the polls opening at 12 o'clock. A light vote was recorded, the total number of ballots cast being 584.

The result was as follows: L. T. Hardy and Barnett Rogers were elected for three years, Willis B. Hodgkins and Andrew McTernan for two years, and Thomas E. Rhodes for one year. Messrs. Hardy, Hodgkins and McTernan were members of the old Board.

Interest in the election centered chiefly about the contest for the one-year term, in which Mr. Rhodes led Henry A. Bodwell by thirty votes.

The balloting in detail follows:

FOR THREE YEARS
Edw. W. Boutwell 270
Lewis T. Hardy 367
Barnett Rogers 378
Henry A. Bodwell 1
Blanks 152

FOR TWO YEARS
G. K. Cutler 263
W. B. Hodgkins 382
Andrew McTernan 379
Blanks 144

FOR ONE YEAR
Henry A. Bodwell 265
Thomas E. Rhodes 295
Blanks 24

The new Board of Public Works has organized as follows: Lewis T. Hardy, chairman, and Thomas E. Rhodes, secretary.

Plans for Memorial Day

The veterans of Gen. William F. Bartlett Post, 99, and also the members of the associated organizations, the Woman's Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans, are already planning for their annual observance of Memorial Day, and arrangements are being made for the usual simple but impressive exercises.

On Memorial Sunday, which will come May 25, the members of the three organizations will attend divine worship at the South church at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. E. Victor Bigelow will preach the sermon of the morning and will take as his subject, "The Priesthood of the Soldier."

The Memorial Day exercises will take place in the town hall on Friday morning, May 30, and Mr. Bigelow will again speak, delivering the oration of the morning. His topic will be "The Contribution of the Civil War to Democracy."

Andover and Woburn Branch

The semi-annual meeting of the Andover and Woburn branch of the Woman's Board of Missions was held on Thursday of this week at the first Congregational church in Wakefield, and as usual Andover delegates attended. Mrs. Edward Y. Hincks of this town is president of the branch.

The morning session opened at 10:30 o'clock with devotional exercises, after which the minutes of the last meeting were read, and other routine business attended to. Favorable reports on the work of the various auxiliaries were heard and a presentation of coin was made by each auxiliary through its Herald of the Golden Age. The first address was made by Miss Sarah Louise Day of the Woman's Board, while the devotional period with which the morning session closed was conducted by Mrs. Stephen Vaites.

At noon a basket lunch with tea and coffee was enjoyed in the dining-room of the church.

The afternoon session opened at 2 o'clock, the main feature being an address on "Work in the Hokkaido," made by Mrs. Fanny Gordon Bartlett, whose splendid work in Japan is so well known in Andover.

Anti-Fly Campaign

The Anti-Tuberculosis Committee will open this season's campaign against the typhoid fly by an illustrated lecture to school children. This will be given in Punchard Hall at 2:30 on Thursday, May 15, and will be repeated at the same time and place on the following day. Pupils in all grammar grades above the second will attend as part of their regular school work. The public is also invited.

Later in the month (the precise time has not been arranged) there will be a moving picture exhibition at the Colonial on the same subject. Last year's anti-fly campaign in this town was distinctly successful. Wherever citizens took pains to keep their premises tidy, the number of flies was noticeably less than in previous years and the comfort of human beings correspondingly greater. This year it is hoped to carry the standard still higher.

It is well to remember that there are communities where insects were once as great a torment as they are here, which have by simple cleanliness so far abated the ancient nuisance that the children now growing up do not know what a window screen is.

Baptist Church Farther Lights

Last Monday evening, the Farther Lights of the Baptist church held their May meeting at the vestry. The young ladies invited the members of the Ladies' Mission Circle to attend, thereby combining in one the two meetings for the week. Instead of the usual program, from the book on China, the audience, thirty-one in all, listened to a most interesting talk on Burma by Mrs. Safford of Lawrence, who spent some months in that country. Refreshments were served at the close of this pleasant and profitable evening.

Clan Johnston Anniversary

Clan Johnston, No. 85, O. S. C., observed the fourth anniversary of its formation with a supper and dance held in Garfield hall on Friday evening of last week. A very enjoyable supper was served by Caterer Cady, to which about seventy persons sat down.

Following the repast, several vocal selections were rendered by Wm. McEwan and Miss Annie McEwan. Dancing was then enjoyed until midnight. Among those present were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rennie, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thin, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holden, Mr. and Mrs. George Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. James McEwan, Mr. and Mrs. John Auchterlonie, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Black, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eagle, the Misses Bella Calder, Joan Smith, Lily Nairn, Catherine Kirkaldy, Lizzie Porter, Jennie Carnathan, Helen Carnathan, Jennie Haddon, Winnie Caldwell, Mary Black, Mary Hunter, Annie McEwan; Messrs. John Adley, Patrick Hughes, David McEwan, George Paige, James Paige, William Hodge, William Craig, Jas. Nicoll, William Gordon, Thomas Lowe, Alex Black, James Caldwell, David McEwan, Alfred Mill, Chief Edward Nicoll, George Nicoll, Geo. Macconnachie, Charles Rennie.

Choir and Ushers as Guests

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Free church very delightfully entertained the members of the church choir and their friends and the ushers and their guests at a delicious turkey supper last Friday evening. The party gathered at 7 o'clock, and immediately took their places in the dining-room where four long tables in the form of a hollow square had been spread. The supper which had been prepared by the ladies was then partaken of, the guests in each and every case doing justice to the many good things set before them.

Remarks were made at the close of the supper by Mrs. David Lindsay, president of the Ladies' Benevolent society; E. G. Booth, the choir-master; Mrs. Stephen Jackson, vice-president of the society, and Harold Jackson, head usher. Victrola selections were then enjoyed, and readings were given by Stephen Jackson and Mrs. Isabella May.

Abbot Academy Notes

Next Tuesday evening at half-past seven, in Davis Hall, the seniors will present as their senior play, "She Stoops to Conquer." The price of admission is 50 cents.

Thursday afternoon, at a quarter before four, there will be a recital by the pupils of Miss Bennett and Prof. and Mrs. Ashton, to which friends of the school are cordially invited.

The anniversary of the founding of the school, May 6, was celebrated this year by the sending of notes of greeting from the members of the senior and senior-middle classes to all "old girls" who were in the school before 1850.

November Club Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the November Club was held on Monday afternoon. The usual business was transacted and officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. E. Y. Hincks; first vice-president, Mrs. Frank T. Carlton; second vice-president, Miss Ellen C. Snow; secretary, Mrs. Robert P. Keep; treasurer, Mrs. John L. Phillips; new directors, Mrs. A. P. Thompson and Miss Katherine Kelsey.

Following the business meeting tea was served.

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DR. PALMER RESIGNS

Rector of Christ Church has Accepted Appointment at the Harvard Divinity School. Leaves Andover October 1st.

Announcement was made last Sunday of the resignation of Dr. Frederic Palmer from the rectorship of Christ church, after a service covering a period of twenty-five years.

Dr. Palmer will conclude his duties here on October first, and will then go to Cambridge where he has been appointed as lecturer on homiletics at the Harvard Divinity School. He will also be one of the editors of the Harvard Theological Review.

The Harvard Divinity School is the only undenominational divinity school in the country. Of its faculty two are Baptist, two others Unitarian, and three Congregationalist. There is also the same diversity noted among its graduates, the young men going out into parishes of all denominations.

Dr. Palmer's brother, Professor Palmer, who has been for many years connected with Harvard, resigns his position there in June of this year.

Mothers' Club Notes

At the regular meeting of the Andover Mothers' club held this afternoon delegates were appointed to the convention to be held next week in Boston at Copley-Plaza hotel for parents and teachers and all interested in child-welfare. The mothers of the Ballardvale Mothers' club were guests at Punched hall, and all joined in singing a song written by Mrs. Milton P. Higgins and dedicated to the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations.

Mrs. Higgins, who was a graduate of Abbot Academy, is well known in Andover and has spoken this year in Ballardvale and Andover about the work for children. This year, as president of the Massachusetts Branch she has visited almost every association in the state, and 900 new members have joined since last December. The mothers have worked hard to make the coming convention a success and delegates are expected from almost every state. Andover has been represented on the Board of Directors of the Massachusetts Branch, Miss Lucy Allen being a director for three years. Mrs. Edward C. Mason of Bedford, a former teacher of Punched school, is a director, and also Mrs. B. M. Allen and Mrs. Edward V. French of Andover. Committees from the local circles will assist next week at the convention.

Births

In Andover, Monday April 28, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bailey.

In Andover, Monday, May 5, a daughter, Helen, to Mr. and Mrs. Philip F. Ripley.

In Andover, Monday, April 28, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cairnie.

In Andover, Wednesday, May 7, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Blatchford.

An Unusual Concert

Many Andover people are looking forward with anticipation to the concert to be given in the Colonial theatre, Lawrence, next Monday evening, by the Lawrence Choral society, E. G. Hood, conductor.

The chorus, assisted by four eminent New York soloists, will present two short works, "The Swan and the Skylark," by A. Goring Thomas, and "The Walpurgis Night," from Mendelssohn, and there will also be a miscellaneous concert given by the soloists and the Boston Festival orchestra.

The assisting soloists will be Marie Stoddard, soprano; Rose Bryant, contralto; Paul Althouse, tenor; and Reinald Warrenrath, baritone.

The program will be as follows:

PART I
"The Swan and the Skylark"
A. Goring Thomas

PART II
My Heart is Weary—from Nadeschda
A. Goring Thomas
Miss Bryant

Andante, from Quartet in B flat
Tschalkowsky
Boston Festival Orchestra

Love Song
Here on the Brae
Lamp of Love
Haesche
Jordan
Salter

Mr. Althouse
Night, and the Curtains Drawn
G. Ferrata
Old Irish
Damrosch

Little Mary Cassidy
Danny Deever
Mr. Warrenrath

Qui est homo—from Stabat Mater
Rossini
Miss Stoddard and Miss Bryant

PART III
"Walpurgis Night"
Mendelssohn

The Andover honorary members of the society are Frederic G. Moore, Mrs. W. D. Currier and Walter M. Lamont. The active members, Leslie Hood, Geo. White, G. A. Christie, Miss Mary W. Scott and Miss Alice S. Coutts.

Tickets, priced from 50c to \$1.50 can be secured at the Colonial theatre, Lawrence.

Notice

The annual meeting of the corporation of the Andover Guild will be held at the Guild House next Tuesday evening, May 13, at quarter of eight, for the election of directors and any other business that may legally come before them.

By order,
EMMA H. ALLEN, Clerk

Card of Thanks

The Woman's Relief Corps wishes to thank the citizens of Andover for the generous donations of food and money, and also for their interest and cooperation, all of which contributed so largely to the success of the May Breakfast.

ANOTHER SUCCESS SCORED

Barnstormers Entertain Very Large Audience With Their Sixth Performance, "The Man on the Box."

The predicaments and dilemmas of Lt. Robert Worburton, alias James Osborne, alias "The Man on the Box," as set forth in the play presented in the town hall on Tuesday evening, were enjoyed and appreciated by a large audience which gathered to enjoy the last of the present-season productions of the Barnstormers. The performance was the sixth which has been given by the organization, and, as was but natural, owing to continually increasing experience and ability, it was voted by many persons in the audience to be the best presentation yet made. This decision was, no doubt, considerably influenced by the fact that, with the exception of Mrs. Alexander's Progress, given some time ago, few of the plays have been so decidedly modern in setting and arrangement, and so capable of all-round appreciation as was "The Man on the Box."

Everyone present, young and old, enjoyed the bright, snappy comedy, with its continual fun and merriment, appreciated the excellent work of the cast, and were pleased with the delightful stage settings and furnishings. The latter feature was especially attractive owing to the courtesy of Buchan & Francis in loaning tables, chairs, desks, book-cases, a big clock and the other furniture of the two settings, and also to the kindness of Mrs. Arthur G. Clark and the Gift Shop in contributing and arranging the various pictures and other wall decorations. The general plan of the scenery was in charge of Addison B. LeBoutillier.

The story of the play briefly told, is as follows: Lt. Robert Worburton, lately resigned from the army, finds himself in jail as the result of one of his practical jokes in which he had planned to drive his sister and her friend home from the Embassy Ball, and, in the guise of a groom, startle the former with a kiss as she alights from her carriage. In the confusion of the moment, however, Worburton had mounted the box of the wrong brougham, and, after his oscillatory greetings, discovered that instead of his sister he had kissed another young lady, Miss Betty Annesley by name. He also found that she was the girl with whom he had fallen in love on his return from an European trip, and whom he had resolved to marry.

In the first act, Worburton's friend, Charles Henderson, a wide-awake newspaper man, is endeavoring to arrange with Judge Watts, magistrate of the precinct, for a private hearing for the coachman. This is finally accorded, and the hearing then takes place. Miss Annesley and her confidante, Mrs. Conway, being present. Betty does not press the charge she has made against the groom in quite the usual manner. At the close of the hearing she pays Osborne's fine, and then offers him the position of groom at her own home at Chevy Chase. She does this wishing to discover the identity of the man, as she feels sure he is not a groom.

Acts II and III show the progress of affairs at Chevy Chase, where to tantalize Bob to the fullest extent possible, Betty thinks up and succeeds in placing him in all kinds of predicaments, all of which he endures for love of her. Numerous complications occur, such as the visit of Magistrate Watts, who only by dint of anxious and frantic attempts on the part of the girls is prevented from acquainting Col. Annesley, Betty's father, with the new groom's story. All this time Betty, who more than suspects that James and Bob are one and the same, is endeavoring to prove the fact satisfactorily to herself, but is thwarted by Henderson and Col. Raleigh, Bob's regimental colonel. Finally matters come to a head, and Bob, unable to stand the situation longer, is about to give up in despair, when he discovers an intrigue that is going on between Col. Annesley and Count Karloff, a Russian spy, concerning plans of Fortress Monroe, which the former is planning to sell to Russia to retrieve a fortune lost at the gaming tables at Monte Carlo. Bob then decides to remain, and at the critical moment takes a hand in the game, saving the Colonel from a choice between the saving of his honor and the marriage of Betty to the Count.

Betty then realizes that it is indeed Bob who has played the part of her groom, and after his thoughtful arrangement for the payment of the Colonel's note to Karloff on the following Monday, she atones for her former unkindness to him by helping him in his suit for her hand.

The cast was, without exception, well selected, and Douglas Crawford and Mrs. Frank H. Hardy as the principals were well supported. Mr. Crawford entered into the spirit of his role to a marked degree, and his appearance was ever the signal for added wit and humor to the situation. His almost overpowering nervousness and awkwardness which came to the front for the benefit of Betty while with her, and his deep-seated enjoyment of existing conditions when alone on the stage, were well contrasted.

The role of Betty was well cared for by Mrs. Hardy, who is not a stranger on the Andover amateur stage, and who is always much enjoyed no matter what her part may be. As the impetuous, fun-loving Betty, with all a girl's fancies, and yet with the deeper characteristics of womanhood showing at times, Mrs. Hardy was never at a loss. Bright and vivacious, teasing and commanding, tormenting and pleading, her moods changed rapidly and, with no mean ability, were adapted to her lines, so that the applause which her acting elicited from the audience was thoroughly deserved.

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OBITUARIES

SARA EDWARDS PARK

Sara Edwards, daughter of Prof. B. B. Edwards of the Theological Seminary, and Jerusha Billings, was born in Andover in 1836.

Her childhood and youth were spent here until her marriage with Rev. William Edwards Park, D.D., in 1874. They lived two years in Lawrence where her husband was pastor, and from there they went to Gloversville, N. Y., where they lived twenty-eight years. After Dr. Park's resignation there they lived in Oberlin for five years where Dr. Park died in 1910. Since his death she has lived with her daughter in Bryn Mawr, Pa., where she died on Sunday, May 4, after a brief illness.

She was a woman of rare ability and strong character. Her clear intellect, retentive memory and love of humor made her a delightful companion, while her broad culture, large experience and sound judgment made her a wise counsellor. Her natural shyness and reserve masked her ability and it was ever a fresh surprise to find what riches of wisdom were hidden by that veil of modesty.

CATHERINE TURNER CARR

Mrs. Catherine Turner Carr, widow of the late James N. Carr, for many years a resident of Lawrence, but who for some time past had lived in this town with her daughter, Mrs. Gladys A. Jewett, passed away on Monday afternoon, May 5, at 102 Summer street, Lawrence.

Mrs. Carr was born in Hudson, N. H., March 3, 1843. Her husband died about 40 years ago. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Jewett of Salem street, and two grandsons, Frederic C. and William S. Jewett, the former of Andover, and the latter of Brockton.

During her residence here, she had made many friends, despite her recent confinement to the house owing to illness, and her loss will be keenly felt by them.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jewett, Dr. Frederic Palmer officiating. Interment was in the family lot in Stoneham.

WILLIAM H. CHANDLER

William H. Chandler, for the past thirty-eight years a resident of Brooklyn, N. Y., but a native of Andover and a yearly summer visitor here, passed away on Saturday, May 3, at his home, 437 Greene avenue, Brooklyn. Funeral services were held at his late home on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, and the body was then brought to Andover. Here, on Tuesday afternoon a service was conducted at the grave in the South cemetery by Rev. F. A. Wilson. In addition to the relatives and near friends present were several townspeople who had known and respected the deceased.

Number being a representative of Phillips Academy, who paid tribute to Mr. Chandler in honor of his mother who was so deeply interested in the school. William H. Chandler was born in Andover on October 8, 1835, and after living here for some years went West, where he engaged successfully in the lumber business. In 1874 he removed to Brooklyn, where he was connected with the well-known firm of White, Potter & Paige, and where he was also one of the original members of the Union League club. He was first married in 1861, his wife dying several years later. His second wife also predeceased him, passing away in June of last year. He is survived by a son, Edward H., and a grandson, William V., both of Brooklyn; also, by an aunt, Miss Mary Ballard of this town.

Mr. Chandler was for many years a member of the Plymouth church in Brooklyn, but after the death of Henry Ward Beecher united with the Central Congregational church, Rev. Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, pastor. Despite his long years of residence in Brooklyn, Mr. Chandler retained his interest in Andover, and every summer found him a guest of his aunt, Miss Ballard, at her home on Main street, and during the months thus spent here, he gained the liking and friendship of many Andover people to whom the news of his death came as sad tidings.

EZEKIEL W. MATHEWS

Ezekiel Wentworth Mathews, for many years a resident of Lawrence, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Emerson, 109 So. Broadway, May 1, 1913.

Mr. Mathews was a quiet, unpretentious man, of sterling worth, strict honesty, and of great strength of character. His friends have always said of him, "He was a good neighbor."

He was born May 31, 1822, at Ossipee, N. H.; was married in 1844 to Eunice Small, at Ossipee; removed to Great Falls in 1845; ran as an engineer for the Boston and Maine railroad from that place to Boston before the railroad was built into Lawrence; removed to Salem a few years later, and operated one of the first construction trains in building the old Essex railroad from that place to Lawrence.

Afterward he ran between Boston and Haverhill, when the locomotives, burning wood as they did, were not allowed to go further than Prison Point, Charlestown, where they were unhitched and a string team of three or four horses pulled the train from there into Haymarket Square Station, Boston. The railroad was not built at that time into Lawrence, but the route from Andover was over the site of the street now known as "the Old Railroad" to North Andover and thence to Haverhill.

He went to Lawrence in 1852, and lived first in the old Brick House in the rear of "Gage's Block," as it was then known, although afterward, and for many years, called the Broadway Hotel. This was situated between

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COMMUNICATIONS

Use and Abuse of the Woods

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Oh! This is a nice place, not far from town either, and the lunch is so good, but why do you leave the garbage and the broken food boxes? Why must you smash the soda bottles and leave the broken pieces to hurt somebody else? The bottles, if left whole by themselves would be eagerly gathered and sold by some small boy but nobody would care to gather up the rest.

Here is a place so nice that a little brush hut can be built and it can be used often. But why must you drive nails into the forest trees, and would it not be better to tell the owner what you plan to do? He will not object for he likes a good time and will join you if he gets an invitation. He will show you how to use wooden pegs, instead of spikes, and will tell you that driving nails into the trees is almost as bad an offense as setting a fire.

Let some one in the party get a fire permit from the town (another from the owner) and burn the rubbish.

Come out into the woods and have a good time, but don't leave behind anything that hurts.

The Scout Boys have planted a thousand Norway Pines in the vicinity of their camp on the hills of Pumps Pond. That is forestry in practice.

FRANCIS H. FOSTER

To the Editor of the Townsman:

Dear Sir: It has seemed to several people in town of late that there is need for starting a Charitable Home for persons who are along in years, who are destitute, friendless, and without relatives, and also whose dispositions vary. Many had thought that the Andover Home for Aged People was such a home, but we regret to find it is not. It seems more to be a place for the accommodation of the friends and relatives of the directors and committee members.

It is to be wondered what the Home for the Aged really is, whether an ornament and rendezvous or a real home for the needy and those without relatives, who think they would prefer to spend their last few years of life in a Home than in a poorhouse.

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With thine own unsparing hand.
"Wondrous honor hast thou given
To our humblest charity,
In thine own mysterious sentence,
"Ye have done it unto me."

"Can it be, O Gracious Master,
Thou dost design for alms to sue,
Saying, by thy poor and needy,
"Give, as I have given to you."

"Yes, the sorrow and the suffering,
Which on every hand we see,
Channels are for tithes and offerings,
Due by solemn right to thee.

"Right of which we may not rob thee;
Debt we may not choose but pay,
Lest that face of love and pity
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"Give us faith to trust thee boldly,
Hope, to stay our souls on thee,
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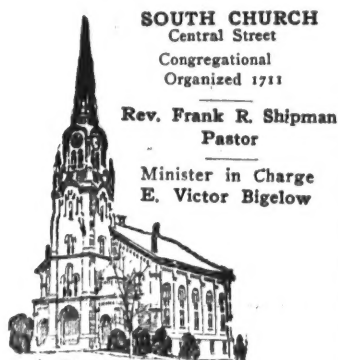
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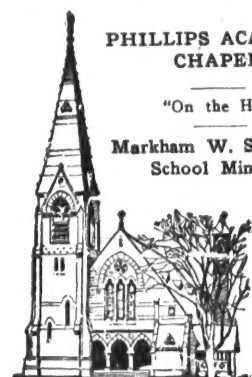
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10.30. Morning worship with sermon by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. Also Sunday kindergarten.
12.00. Sunday School.
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.
3.30 Thursday. Women's Union.
7.45 Thursday. Choir practice.
7.45 Friday. Meeting of Men's club, with stereopticon lecture by L. D. Sherman.



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11.30. Sunday School in Pearson Hall.

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8.30 a.m. Mass and instruction.
Sunday School to follow.
10.30. High mass and sermon.
2.45. Children of Mary Sodality meeting each Sunday.
3.30. Vespers, rosary and benediction.
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Holy Hour devotion.
First Sunday of month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.
Second Sunday of month, Communion day for Knights of Good Counsel.
Third Sunday of month, Communion day for Holy Name society.
Fourth Sunday of month, Communion day for Children of Mary.
Holy Name society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.
Altar Boys meet first Monday evening of each month.
The pastor is giving a course of lectures on Tuesday evenings to K. of C. and A. O. H. and Ladies' Auxiliary.

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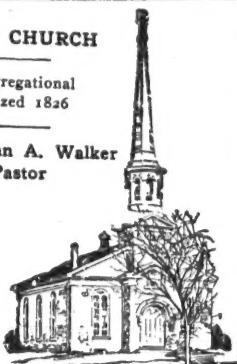
Organized 1832
Rev. W. E. Lombard
Pastor



10.30. Preaching by the pastor.
11.45. Sunday School.
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.
7.15. Gospel praise service.
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

WEST CHURCH

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Rev. Dean A. Walker
Pastor



10.30. Morning worship, with sermon by Rev. Sarah A. Dixon of Tewksbury.
12.00. Sunday School.
3.00. Osgood District Sunday School.
3.00. Y. P. S. C. E.
7.00. Service at Osgood schoolhouse, led by G. E. Bennett of Tewksbury.
2.30 Thursday. Ladies' Aid society at Mrs. Corliss's.

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Pastor



10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
12.00. Sunday School.
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.
7.00 Tuesday. The Men's club Ladies' Night, with supper.
7.45 Wednesday. The midweek prayer and conference meeting.
7.45 Thursday. Choir rehearsal.

CHRIST CHURCH

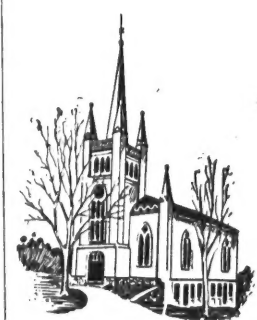
Central Street
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10.30. Morning prayer, with sermon by the rector.
3.30 Saturday, May 10, in the church. Reunion of Junior Auxiliary Societies of the district; sermon by Rev. A. W. Moulton of Lawrence.
7.30 Monday. Girls' Friendly society.
3.30 Tuesday. St. Catherine's Guild.
3.45 Wednesday. Boy Scouts.
3.30 Friday. St. Catherine's Guild, Primary Department.

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Free Wool

One of the great hits that the late Mr. Sothorn made in the play "Our American Cousins," when he portrayed the character of Lord Dundreary, was when he tried to count how many fingers he had. He was beat to count ten and by counting the finger he started with twice he made it out that he had eleven fingers and when he failed to count one of his thumbs he found that he had just nine. The simple way that he looked up and said, "Well, that is one of the things no fellow can understand," always made the audience laugh. Like Lord Dundreary counting his fingers, the tariff is one of the things that no fellow can understand.

The weeping and wailing over the fate of the sheep will be far more if Underwood's free wool bill becomes the law of the land by the stand-pat party, who told us in 1910 that the tariff did not raise prices, just like Dundreary, when he made the audience laugh; so this wailing over the sheep farmer makes intelligent people wonder if two and two are four.

I have refrained from speaking about tariffs lately and intended to wait until our friends, the Democrats finished their job of knocking down the house built with bricks without mortar which they call the old log rolling tariff house.

An article in a generally sensible Boston trade journal last week on free wool has tempted me to get into this tariff fight. This trade paper referring to the 90 per cent duty on blankets, said that there were few woolen blankets required in this country as our houses were all heated during the winter months, and that woolen blankets were only used by people like lumbermen in out of the way places and that the cotton blanket was preferred in modern houses. Also that the making of woolen blankets was not a big business in this country, and that that part of Underwood's proposed tariff would not be much felt.

Let me get back to my text. The sheep farmer being a Western man is no fool. He knows that people generally have ten fingers and he says to himself, "I am getting a good price for mutton, wool is only a part of the sheep and as there are many qualities of wool, it may be that makers of woolen goods may like the kind of wool I have to sell for mixing with the foreign free wool and the demand for home grown wool will continue." Then he looks over

the Underwood "abomination" and says, "Well, when I go to town and buy a suit of clothes for myself or a dress for my wife, or a pair of shears for clipping my sheep, a spade, a rake or a hoe, a plough or any farming tool, all these are likely to be cheaper if Underwood has his way, so the weeping over my fate may be a farce."

I have seen it stated more than once lately that this state of Massachusetts will feel the disastrous effects of the Underwood bill more than any other state. Why? Just because other states are paying more for the textile goods we make on account of the present tariffs, and if tariffs are reduced and foreign goods come in cheaper our "occupation will be gone."

Lord Dundreary was correct when he said that there were things that no fellow could understand. It may astonish some of the readers of the Townsman when I make the statement that even if wages here were reduced to the same level as what is spoken of as the pauper wages of Europe, our manufacturers could not compete with Europe in an open market. Our mills here cost more, every machine has cost fifty per cent more, and all this high cost of everything is ignored by those who only look at the higher wages paid.

I have only fired a few random shots at this tariff target and will try to keep my powder dry until the target is in the open.

This Japan business and the Panama Canal treaty which some wise men want to alter may keep Wilson, Bryan & Co. busy and keep Underwood "under" for some time yet.

I close this letter by saying that when England took the duties off wheat and almost everything else, it was not to oblige this country or any other country. England arranges her tariffs to suit herself. We must try to suit ourselves and if the present tariffs are changed, don't weep until the sheep farmer weeps.

An object lesson to our wise men who told us in 1910 that tariffs did not raise prices, is the proposed ten-foot iron fence to cost two million dollars, to be put around Paris so as to prevent the foodstuffs of the country from being smuggled into Paris without paying the "Octroi" tax. The French people are supposed to have less gumption than we have, yet they have sense enough to know that after paying the Octroi the goods are dearer to the consumer.

IAN McDOUGALL

Canoeing on the Shawshine River

"Sweet is the vale where the Shawshine gently glides
On its clear winding way to the sea."

Scarcely a decade of years have passed away since Dr. Charles H. Shattuck, a former well-known druggist of Ballardvale, and an early promoter of canoeing, with intuitive perception, noted the possibilities of the Shawshine river as a pleasure resort for lovers of canoeing. His real estate, situated on Andover street, directly opposite the Boston and Maine railroad station equipped with a service of thirty-four trains a day that stop at Ballardvale—supplemented by the vantage-ground of a wide extent of water frontage within a few yards of the street, was excellently located for a successful financial venture in developing the river's resources along that line.

The thought was father of the enterprise, and soon two boat-houses were in course of construction with a storage capacity of twelve canoes each. His plans were not without gratifying results. A responsive public conferred their patronage, and in a few years his canoe-houses were inadequate to meet the demands of canoe-owners for rental privileges.

But a large and flourishing drug business near Boston lessened his interest in this vicinity, culminating in the sale of his real estate and drug store and final removal to Malden in the spring of 1912.

Since that time the facilities have been enlarged and there are now accommodations for sixty canoes. Thirty-six names are listed, and a corresponding number of racks and lockers assigned to canoeists from Boston, Somerville, Cambridge, Everett, Haverhill and Andover.

The Shawshine river is growing in popularity and bids fair to out-rival many of the lakes and rivers in adjacent towns, as an ideal resort for canoeists. The picturesque scenery of its banks and sloping terraces, combined with an uninterrupted water course of several miles extending to the City of Spindlers—the distance augmented by the serpentine course of the river, its winding banks projecting far into the water, covered with deep-tangled shrubs, over which trailing vines of apios tuberosa, in some instances, form an impenetrable thicket, as it riots in the summer sunshine, claiming sisterhood with the cultivated wisteria.

The flora along its wooded shores, in its quiet coves, and broad stretches of emerald meadows, are varied and interesting. We mention a few old-time friends—violets white and violet blue; golden buttercup and nodding daisies; beautiful wild orchids and the peerless cardinal flower; banks of goldenrod of countless varieties; the sweet-scented wild rose, and fragrant swamp azalia; the modest blue gentian; masses of sweet-faced asters, and the irresistible wild fern are indigenous to the soil and locality.

More than three score years the Shawshine river has been the favorite haunt of the odorata (white pond lily) one of the loveliest types of aquatic plants. With unseen movements grow the lily's waxen

stem, its presence at first perceptible when shining dark-green leaves appear upon the surface of the dimpling water, followed by bud and blossom of exquisite loveliness and fragrance—fair as the lilies of Galilee—with the burnished glow of the sunset enshrined in their hearts of gold, fitting emblems of the life which is to come,—when this mortal shall have put on immortality.

In autumn when the channel of the river is filled to its utmost capacity the canoe glides over its surface with a buoyancy that thrills the pulse, and imparts a keen enjoyment to the pleasurable diversion. This is the season of nature's transformation, the time when comes the wine and gold, scarlet and crimson tints of maple and birch, the oak, elm, and willow, interspersed with groups of stately pines, their deep green foliage serving to heighten in effect the contrasting colors of surrounding trees and shrubs. Again we hear the suggestive sound of brown nuts dropping, and catch a fleeting glimpse of clustering wood-grapes purpling in the mellow sunlight. This is art in its grandest conception from the hand of the Divine artist. There is the wonderful blending of color, the motion of trees, birds and wavelets, the soft murmur of the rippling river, the whispering of tree-tops, and melody of bird-notes—too sweet for words—their little hearts so full of love and gladness they sing for very joy while the morning dew still glistens on their bonnie breasts. This picture imbued with the force of motion, music and fragrance, has never been attained on canvas even by the great masters; it is a secret of Infinity alone.

It needs not the gift of prophecy to foretell the future of the Shawshine river; its star of destiny is in the ascendant, and many residents of our home town, now strangers to the deft manipulation of the paddle, will cultivate an acquaintance, and learn to love the sheen of its rippling water, happy to enjoy the health-inspiring ozone filtered by the warm sunbeams that wander through bows of aromatic pine and cedar groves, that dominate the peaceful Shawshine valley. The time is near at hand when canoeing will be classed among the many public attractions with which Andover is so richly endowed.

H. G. PARKER

C. L. C. K. Dance

The C. L. C. K. club held a small but enjoyable dancing party in A. O. U. W. hall last Friday evening. The affair was in charge of Carl Lindsay and Clifford Knowles.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald D'Arcy, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bailey, Beatrice Temple, Elizabeth Abbott, Ruth Temple, Fannie Erving, Ruth Lindsay, Helen Knowles, Margaret Hinchcliffe, Eva Erving, Florence Curtis, Mrs. Guy Bickell, Winifred Burr, Dorothy Japuth, Hertha Fletcher, Mildred Jenkins, Marjorie Jaquith, Mary Erving.

Messrs. Carl Lindsay, Clifford Knowles, Everett Collins, Howard Cates, Gile Johnson, Roland Lindsay, John Erving, Lincoln Prescott, Arthur Eastwood, Luther Johnson, John Hartigan, Saxton Fletcher, Arthur Cole, Walter Lawson.

Cooperation in New England

("Cooperation in New England," by James Ford, Ph.D., 220 pages, and an index. Russell Sage Foundation. \$1.50, postpaid.)

One closes this painstaking book by Dr. Ford with a keen sense of disappointment. For he shows that in New England the numerous attempts at Cooperation have met with almost uniform failure on account of dishonesty, bad management, and unwillingness to cooperate. Thus this favored portion of the United States would seem to lack those elements which have given such marked success to the cooperative system in England, Belgium, Denmark, France, Ireland and Italy.

Yet one cannot read Dr. Ford's careful analysis of our popular weakness, his complimentary estimate of the work of the Grange, and the record of the few successes in cooperation without decided profit, and the closing chapter on Interpretation and Prospect is full of hope, in view of the changed conditions and the demand for efficiency, that are compelling all to diligence in finding the way out from our present uncertainty.

The Introduction by Prof. Francis G. Peabody of Harvard College, in addition to high praise for Dr. Ford's work, has some very plain words for our American lack of thrift, for with the desire to save industrial cooperation is impossible. He also names independence, a certain amount of fixity of residence, and a supply of "cooperative men" as essentials for success in industrial cooperation.

A Worthy Object

Among the significant features of the last annual session of the Massachusetts State Grange was the establishment of the Educational Aid Fund for the purpose of assisting worthy young men and women who are members of the order, in obtaining an education.

The plan, briefly stated, contemplates the raising of a fund from which small loans shall be made at a low rate of interest to persons desiring the same to use in securing an education. The fund is administered and governed by a Board of Trustees of which James C. Poor of North Andover is treasurer.

The State Grange has already contributed \$1500, which becomes available when another \$1500 has been raised by the subordinate and Pomona Granges.

Andover Grange, like all her sister lodges in Massachusetts, is very much interested in this project and with the purpose in view of donating to the fund, plans are being made for an open meeting to be held at the Grange Hall next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, to which all townspeople who are interested will be cordially welcomed. There will be a varied program of music, readings, etc., which will be sure to be enjoyable, and a real Grange-like good time will be had. An admission fee of twenty cents will be charged, and for the convenience of those attending from the center of town a barge will leave the square at 7.30 o'clock.

Previous to the entertainment, a business meeting will be held by the members of the Grange, commencing at 7.15 o'clock.

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ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATRES

BOSTON THEATRES

New Attractions

Castle Sq.—"The Fourth Estate."
Tremont—"Buffalo Jones."
Plymouth—"The Child."
Boston—"George Evans."

Continuing Attractions

Shubert—"The Firefly."
Majestic—"Bird of Paradise."
Park—"Blindness of Virtue."

Coming Attractions

Shubert—"Sothern and Marlowe."
Majestic—"Louisiana Lou."
Castle Sq.—"Comedy of Errors."
Boston—"Old Homestead."

CASTLE SQUARE

"The Fourth Estate," one of the few plays that give a faithful picture of a newspaper office, is being given this week at the Castle Square theatre. In it one finds editors and reporters, and a judge bent on ruining the young editor who has found a letter containing an expose of crooked dealings on the bench.

MAJESTIC

The Hawaiian drama, "The Bird of Paradise," at the Majestic is colorful and interesting, with its pictures of life of the Pacific. The play is effectively acted and thoroughly pleasing.

PARK

"The Blindness of Virtue," is a pretty, sentimental English drama, with considerable comedy and humor which glosses over the more serious underlying thought of the play.

COLONIAL

Christie McDonald of "Spring Maid" fame, is at the Colonial in a new opera by Victor Herbert. Its title is "Sweethearts," and it deals with the adventures of a princess in disguise.

SHUBERT

"The Firefly" at the Shubert is a new opera, uncommonly well sung by an able company. Miss Trentini dominates the entire play with unflagging high spirits.

MAJESTIC

The Majestic theatre will inaugurate a summer season of musical comedy with carefully selected cast in an elaborate production of the biggest musical comedy hit of the past season, "Louisiana Lou," next week, opening Monday, May 12. The book and lyrics are by Messrs. Addison Burkhardt and Fred Donaghey, and the music by Ben M. Jerome. Its background is an elusive love story of the famous New Orleans Mardi-Gras.

"Louisiana Lou" is a distinctively lively affair, filled with popular song hits, and theatre-goers of Boston already have confidence in the enjoyment it will afford because it is a product of the same theatre in Chicago which has already given to Boston such notable summer runs in this city as "The Isle of Spice," "The Time, The Place, and the Girl," "Stubborn Cinderella," and "A Knight for a Day." There will be a special sale of summer prices with the best seats in the orchestra offered at one dollar. Matinees will be given on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday.

PLYMOUTH

Miss Elizabeth Apthorp McFadden's new play, "The Child," which is now running at the Plymouth theatre, has the advantage of production by Harrison Grey Fiske, whose genius in stage direction has been displayed in the magnificent

staging of "Kismet" and of various plays in which Mrs. Fiske and other stars have appeared. The effects in the first act of "The Child," representing a flood of the Ohio River, are immensely impressive. The company is headed by Miss Emily Stevens, who is most favorably known to Boston playgoers, and includes such well-known players as George Probert, Frank Currier, Harry Hull, Roy O. Porter, Maude Durand and Paula Montez.

Miss McFadden tells an interesting story of the genesis of the play. "The Child," she says, "is based on a story told to me at a dinner party by a lawyer, to whose knowledge it came in the course of his professional experience. Even in its crudest form, the tale fascinated me by its dramatic possibilities and by the depth and beauty of the human nature which it revealed. But to make a play of such material presented many technical difficulties. It was necessary to make the action really center upon a child, without the child actually appearing. How successfully the many difficulties have been met remains for the public to decide. But my best work has gone into the play, and the charm and thrill of the theme is, I think, incontestable."

In accordance with the custom at the Plymouth theatre, the mid-week matinee is given on Thursday, and the regular matinee on Saturday.

BOSTON THEATRE

Denman Thompson's "THE OLD HOMESTEAD" Back Home on Monday, May 12. Almost Original Cast, with E. L. Snader, Denman Thompson's Chosen Successor, as "Joshua Whitcomb."

The greatest of all American successes, guaranteed from coast to coast by press, public and manager for 26 years, returns to the home of its infancy, the Boston Theatre, on May 12th. It was in April, 1886, the "Grand Old Man of New England's" Idyl, had its initial performance at this famous playhouse and made the most telling success ever scored by a new production in Boston. Year after year since then, from one end of the country to the other, it has repeated that success, and it has ever improved with age. A quarter of a century in a long time, as time goes on the stage. Few plays and plays have bridged the gulf from the early 80's to 1913. It may be that "The Old Homestead" brings with it a timely lesson in sound values. At any rate, it sets one to wondering about the "powerful" and "gripping" dramas of today—the best of them. Will they weather the years like "The Old Homestead"? It's worth thinking over.

With that touch of nature that will live as long as there is an American stage, the grand old masterpiece returns to the Boston Theatre with practically the original cast, and with Mr. Edward L. Snader, Denman Thompson's chosen successor in the role of dear old "Joshua Whitcomb."

The production would no doubt be a revelation to the by-gone friends of a quarter century ago. The art of stagecraft has made rapid strides since then. Such familiar scenes as the old farmyard in the New Hampshire hills, and the equally familiar Grace Church scene, are two of the most striking pictures of stage realism.

Two of the distinct features are the famous double male quartette and the grand choir in the Grace Church scene, that for the engagement here will be augmented with twenty trained voices.

Mr. Frank Thompson, Denman Thompson's son, keeps the tradition of the play well in hand. His attention for many seasons accounts in no small way for the merited success of this famous masterpiece.

Summer prices will prevail during its engagement in Boston. Entire orchestra \$1.00, first balcony 75c, second balcony 50c and third balcony 25c.

LAWRENCE

The first annual prize debate of the L. H. S. Debating society took place Wednesday evening in High school hall.

A smoke talk was enjoyed by the members of the Lawrence Caledonian club Monday night in their rooms in the Gleason building.

The first annual May party of Lawrence council, 67, Knights of Columbus, will be held Thursday evening, May 22, at Canobie Lake park.

The annual trolley party and dance of the Lawrence Evening High School Alumni association will be conducted Monday, May 19, at Canobie Lake.

Hon. Smith Brown Wilkinson Davis, mayor of Lawrence in 1872 and 1873, passed away Tuesday night at the Lawrence Home for Aged People.

The 16th annual reception tendered by Prof. and Mrs. A. G. Labonte, to their dancing classes, was most successfully held in Saunders hall Monday night.

Ladies' night was very pleasantly enjoyed Monday evening by the Young Men's Hebrew Association and their lady friends in their rooms in the Schaake building.

Archdeacon Samuel G. Babcock, suffragan bishop-elect of the diocese of Massachusetts, administered communion in St. John's Episcopal church Sunday morning.

The High school football schedule for the season of 1913 was announced Tuesday. The schedule comprises 10 games in all and is perhaps the strongest in several years.

A well attended meeting of the committees who are planning for St. John's field day to be held June 17 at Danvers was held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. Mary's hall.

"Olivet to Calvary," a sacred cantata, was sung by the combined choirs of the Second and Free Baptist churches at the evening service of the Second Baptist church Sunday.

Enoch F. Coburn, for many years a prominent business man of this

city, but for the past 10 years retired, died Tuesday evening at the family residence, 341 Haverhill street.

A whist party, entertainment and collation were included in the program of the ladies' night held by Loyal Washington lodge, 7176, I. O. O. F., M. U., in Pemberton hall Saturday evening.

A very successful whist and dancing party and bowling contest was held in St. Patrick's new school building Monday evening for the benefit of the Holy Name table at the coming fair.

M. J. Cahill's dry goods at 395-397 Essex street, was partially gutted by flames early Sunday evening, by one of the most destructive and threatening fires that has visited the business section of the city for some time.

James F. King, a graduate in the Electric department of the University of Maine, and for the past two years an instructor in Electricity at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has been appointed to the electrical department of the industrial school.

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THE BARNSTORMERS

(Continued from page 5)

Mrs. Earl Bryant made a sweet and pretty Mrs. Conway, Betty's friend, and her presence on the stage in the several scenes in which she appeared, added grace and charm to the setting. She was especially effective in her effort to interest Magistrate Watts.

The other feminine role, that of Nancy Worburton, was delightfully played by Mrs. Oswald Tower. While she appeared in one scene only, her work at that time was remarkably enjoyable, the light-hearted and happy chatter between the two girls, Nancy and Betty, being one of the especially pretty touches in the play.

The part of Bob's newspaper friend, Charlie Henderson, the man who earned his living by lying, was finely and energetically played by Frederick W. H. Stott. Mr. Stott is instructor in public speaking at Phillips Academy, and this was his first appearance in any of the Barnstormers' productions. In him, they have secured a valuable member, for his work throughout the entire evening was characterized with a snap and spontaneity which fitted his role to perfection. He had a large share in many of the most amusing incidents of the play and in each he acquitted himself with marked success.

Nathan C. Hamblin, who like several of the other members of the cast, has appeared in several previous plays and always with satisfaction to the audience, had on Tuesday night the role of Col. Annesley, Betty's father, the aging soldier, with an honorable past record, who, turn whichever way he may, seems now to be facing ultimate disgrace, but who endeavors to make light of his troubles and worries for the sake of his daughter. Mr. Hamblin handled the impersonation in his usual capable manner, giving the careful attention to minor details, which made his acting the success it was.

Count Karloff, the Russian spy and diplomat, who persuades Col. Annesley to turn over to him the plans of the fortress, and at the instant when success seems to be within his grasp is thwarted by Bob, was played by John L. Phillips in a dignified and stately manner. Cool and calm, he retained his poise throughout the scene with the Colonel, and took his unhurried departure at the close of his encounter with the butler.

Cecil K. Bancroft was thoroughly appreciated by the audience as the magistrate, Judge Watts, who, while rather crusty and forbidding, especially on a morning after a charity dinner, was capable of being softened considerably by the charms of the ladies when their smiles were directed towards him. His fidgety and rather irascible conduct of the hearing and his subsequent amiability during his call upon his friend the Colonel, were well brought out.

Another very enjoyable character was Col. Frank Raleigh, colonel of Bob's regiment, who was impersonated by Percival Dove. The latter's good acting, enhanced by his unrecognizable disguise and make-up, drew forth much applause, especially during the scene in which he and Henderson led the attack on the defenseless groom-butler, which culminated in the disastrous "slip of the tongue."

Among the minor characters, all of which were well filled, were Pierre, the French chef, played by Bartlett H. Hayes with a very natural accent, and true French gesticulations; Officers O'Brien and Cassidy, the police officials, who with their uniforms and brogue were impersonated by Edmund Hammond and Oswald Tower; Martin, Clerk of the Court, taken by Brainerd E. Smith; Cora, Betty's maid, who in her trim maid's dress was played by Mrs. A. L. LeBoutillier; and William, the stable boy, or Minot Dole.

The members of the cast were not the only ones connected with the play to whom much credit is due. No small part of the success of the evening must be attributed to Frank H. Hardy, who, as stage manager, had put much time, thought and energy into the enactment of the comedy. To his able and thorough planning of stage business for the various members of the cast was due the fact that the play was characterized by so great freedom from stiffness and lack of animation, a condition not always found in amateur work. Both actors and audience appreciated this, and all, with the evident exception of himself, heartily welcomed his reluctant appearance with the members of the cast after the last curtain.

A word of commendation is also due to Miss Harriet L. Erving for her faithful and efficient work as prompter, while the credit for the successful business arrangements connected with the presentation goes to Arthur G. Clark, who acted as business manager.

The music throughout the evening was furnished by the Columbian orchestra of Lawrence.

IN BOSTON MARKETS

Butter—Choice northern creamery, 31@31½c; western creamery extras, 20½@31c; western firsts, 30@30½c. Cheese—York state, fancy, 17@17½c; fair to good, 14@15c; new, 15c. Eggs—Choice henry and nearby, 23@24c; eastern extra, 22@23c; western extra, 21½@22c; western firsts, 20@20½c; storage packed, 21@22c. Apples—Baldwins, fancy, \$2.50@3; No. 1, \$2.25@2.75; No. 2, \$1.50@2; cold storage Baldwins, \$2.75@4; Northern Spies, \$2.50@3.50; Starks, \$2@2.75; Ben Davis, \$1.25@2.25; russets, \$1.50@2.50; western box apples, \$1.25@2. Potatoes—Aroostook and Maine Central, \$1.40@1.50 per 2-bu bag; new Florida, fancy, \$5@5.50 bbl; sweets, \$1.25@1.50 bskt; \$2.50@2.75 bbl. Poultry—Fowl, northern, 20@21c; western, large, 18@20c; medium, 17c; broiler chickens, native, 38@40c; native green ducks, 20@21c; native squabs, \$3@3.50; native pigeons, 25@30c.

METHUEN

The anniversary meeting of Phillips circle Kings daughters was held Monday evening in Phillips chapel.

Wednesday evening the 10th annual concert and ball of the Methuen Canoe club took place in the Nevins hall.

The annual meeting of the local Y. M. C. A. will be held Friday evening in the association rooms at 7-45 o'clock.

Sunday was Rev. C. H. Kershaw's last as pastor of the Second P. M. church and at that time he preached his farewell sermon.

Wednesday, May 14, has been set as the date for a banquet to be conducted for the men of the Baptist church and congregation.

Mrs. G. W. Tenney entertained the members of the Missionary society of the Congregational church at her home on Broadway Friday afternoon.

The members of the junior class of the High school are holding frequent rehearsals for the entertainment to be presented on the evening of May 23.

Friday evening at Pythian hall Friendship lodge, Pythian Sisters, held a successful whist party which was attended by many members and friends.

The committee appointed at the last annual town meeting to set a salary for the town clerk, met at the town house Friday evening for that purpose. Nothing definite was decided upon.

Quite an interesting display of confederate money will be placed shortly on exhibition in the window of the store of S. L. Holman on Hampshire street.

Shortly after two o'clock on Sunday afternoon the automobile fire truck was called by phone to the vicinity of Glen Forest, where there was a fire in some cord wood.

The monthly meeting of Col. Wm. B. Greene post, 100, G. A. R., was held at headquarters on Broadway Friday night when plans were completed for the annual Memorial Day observance.

Saturday afternoon a public demonstration of tree planting was given at the farm of Richard H. Barlow at Tozier's corner by the Methuen branch of the Massachusetts Forestry association.

A number of the grammar school boys in the Y. M. C. A. are interested in forming a baseball league, and it is probable that a meeting of the boys will be held in the near future to consider the matter.

NORTH ANDOVER

The first fall meeting of Essex County Pomona Grange will be held here.

George H. Miffin and family of Boston arrived Saturday at "The Bush" for the summer.

F. M. Hill of the Kimball district has sufficiently recovered from a severe illness to partially resume his duties.

Athel M. Cooledge, of Revere, visited Sunday at Woodbine Villa, in the Farnham district, the residence of his sister, Mrs. F. Orris Rea.

Under the auspices of the Missionary society of the Trinitarian Congregational church a successful home-bakery sale was held Friday afternoon.

The final whist party and dance of the series being conducted by the Grange will take place in the hall of the organization, in the Centre, next Friday evening, May 9.

A large boulder which the committee on the new monument to be erected in front of the high school, has been looking for has been secured near Salem.

A baked bean supper and entertainment was held in Odd Fellows hall, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of Court Lincoln and Waverley Circle Dramatic society.

The local High school team went to West Newbury Friday afternoon and defeated the high school nine of that place by the score of 8 to 3. Many witnessed the game.

Mrs. Walter H. Hayes, Mrs. Frank E. Day, Mrs. Peter Holt and Mrs. J. Henry Nason attended the last meeting of the season of Essex County Pomona Grange, held in Newburyport, last week.

Members of Cardinal O'Connell branch, Ladies' auxiliary, A. O. H., will make their debut in amateur theatricals next Friday evening in Merimack hall, when a dramatic entertainment, entitled "Rival Associations," will be given.

The marriage of Miss Mary Hasbrouck Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sutton and Leland Stanford Ramsdell of San Francisco, Cal., occurred at 6.30 o'clock Saturday evening at the home of the bride, 180 Johnson street, North Andover Centre.

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Resolved, That while we bow in humble submission to the will of the Supreme Ruler, we deplore her removal from our midst.
Resolved, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to her husband and wish to mingle our sorrow with his, and commend him to Him who ordered all things for the best.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on our records on a page set apart for her memory; that a copy be sent to the husband of our departed sister, and also be printed in the Massachusetts Workman and local papers.

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6.00 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E.
2.30 p.m. Meeting of Juniors.
3.00 p.m. Men's meeting, with address by William Shaw.
7.00 p.m. Praise service with address by pastor.
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Prayer meeting.
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. Perry S. Neldon, Pastor
B. V. M. E.
10.30 a.m. Worship, with sermon by pastor.
Sunday School to follow.
3.00 p.m. Junior League.
6.15 p.m. Epworth League.
7.00 p.m. Union praise service, with address for Mothers' Day, by the pastor. The Bradlee Mothers' Club will attend in a body.
7.30 Thursday. Prayer meeting.

There are quite a number of cases of measles in the village.

Miss Anna Davies is spending several weeks with relatives in Reading.

Miss Flossie Wood has been spending several days with friends in Somerville.

Mrs. Frank Davis and Miss Alice Davis spent Sunday with relatives in Roxbury.

Mrs. Albert Farrell and Miss Bertha Farrell spent Sunday with relatives in Everett.

Mrs. Bancroft T. Haynes spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Thresh of Somerville.

Miss Nellie McGovern recently underwent a successful operation on her throat.

Miss Mabel Ryan spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Alfred Manner of Pelham, N. H.

Salmon C. Walker has been confined to his home on account of a very painful carbuncle.

New sidewalks have been built in front of the residence of N. H. Harwood and Thomas Stott.

Miss Isabel Miller has been spending several days with Mrs. Alexander Veitch of Maynard.

Miss Hilda Stein of Belmont was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haerber, High street.

Miss Lillian Oldroyd and Mrs. Lizzie Partridge spent Sunday with friends in North Andover.

Mrs. Addie Davis of Somerville spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. B. F. Stafford, Tewksbury street.

Addison P. Monson is having his house on High street painted. John Colbath has been awarded the contract.

Miss Agnes Cummings has been the guest for several days of her friend, Miss Harriet Newton of Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster of Methuen were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Tuttle, Tewksbury street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace and son, Kenneth, of Andover spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sparks, River street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Miller and family attended the funeral of Alexander Veitch of Maynard held Saturday afternoon.

Miss Martha Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Elden Fleury spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Shaw of Melrose Highlands.

William Shaw will give the address at the men's meeting at the Congregational church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Cleveland, who has been spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Randall, has gone to Vermont to spend the summer with relatives.

Canoeing on the Shawsheen is more popular than ever this year and Ralph Parker has purchased several more canoes for the use of his patrons.

The Bradlee Mothers' club will attend in a body the special "Mothers' Day" exercises at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The public is very cordially invited to attend.

The local Independents will go to North Reading Saturday afternoon and play the strong town team. It should be a close game, and a delegation of local rowers will accompany the team.

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The Independents defeated the Yannis' on the playstead Saturday afternoon by a score of 12 to 4. The battery for the home team were George Trow and Harry Trow, for the visitors, Eldridge, Porter, and Killachy.

The new branch of the Memorial Hall library opened Tuesday afternoon in the old schoolhouse. Quite a number of people took out books. The library will be open for the present on Tuesday and Saturday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock.

The following named persons have been appointed on the nominating committee to nominate the officers and committees for the Union Congregational Sunday School for the ensuing year: Mrs. George Miller, Miss Martha Byington, Mrs. Roy M. Haynes, Robert Stafford and Miss Sadie M. Kent.

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Congregational Sunday School was held in the church vestry Thursday evening. In the absence of the superintendent, Robert Stafford presided. Reports were given by the secretary, treasurer, superintendent of the Primary department, superintendent of the Home department, librarian and auditor. The following named persons were elected officers for the ensuing year: Superintendent, Charles W. Richardson; assistant superintendent, Philip Stafford; secretary, Miss Annie McGhie; treasurer, Mrs. George R. Miller; superintendent Primary department, Mrs. John Hall; assistants, Miss Etta Greenwood and Miss Isabel Miller; superintendent Home department, Miss Sadie M. Kent; librarian, Stephen Byington; auditor, Roy M. Haynes; organist, Miss Alice Mears; concert committee, Miss Martha Byington, Miss Annie Davies, Miss Alice Mears, Mrs. N. H. Harwood, and Mrs. Joseph Cummings.

Surprise Party

A pleasant surprise party was held at the home of Miss Lillian Oldroyd on Andover street, Saturday evening. Miss Etta Greenwood first presented Miss Oldroyd a locket and chain, after which the company were entertained with games and piano and phonograph selections. Refreshments were served during the evening.

The following were present: Fred Oldroyd, Miss Margaret Clemons, George Eaton, Miss Etta Greenwood, Frank Petty, Miss Annie Lochhead, Fred Eaton, Miss Annabel Steed, Clarence Dunbar, Miss Margaret Clinton, William Scott, Miss Linda Clinton, Walter Troutman, Miss Helen Steed, Walter Oldroyd, Miss Alice Davies, Wesley Clarke, Miss Agnes Cummings, Charles Partridge, Miss Lillian Oldroyd, John McGregor, Miss Alice Mears, Miss Elizabeth Partridge, Miss Grace Burke and Mrs. Hannah Oldroyd.

Installed Officers

At the regular meeting of Ballard Vale Lodge, No. 105, held Monday evening the new lodge deputy, Geo. F. Tilton of Lowell assisted by Mrs. George F. Tilton, P. G. Supt. J. T. as installing Marshal, installed the following officers of the lodge for the ensuing term: C. T. Thomas Brear; V. T., Miss Lillian Oldroyd; Secretary, Mrs. J. H. Smith; Financial Secretary, Miss Sadie M. Kent; Treasurer, Daniel H. Poor; P. C. T., Miss Etta Greenwood; C. M., Miss Mabel Ryan; M. Miss Cora Abbott; D. M., George Brear; Organist, Miss Cora Abbott; Registrar, George Brear.

Will Give Play

The Rebekahs of Andover will give their play, "Our Church Fair," in Bradlee hall next Friday evening, May 16, for the benefit of the local Methodist church, with the following strong cast:

Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Millie B. Hammond; Mrs. Henry, Miss Charlotte Hill; Mrs. Jackson, Miss Sadie Hobbs; Mrs. Brett, Mrs. Eastman; Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. W. Buxton; Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. Claffin; Mrs. Brown, Mrs. J. Dumont; Mrs. Addison, Mrs. E. Conkey; Mrs. Ridgley, Mrs. E. Philbrick; Mrs. Otis, Mrs. G. H. Holt; Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Collins; Mrs. Drew, Miss Dumont.

Miss Ida Verrill of Lawrence and Miss Anna Holt of Andover, well-known soloists, will sing several selections. The public is cordially invited.

ANDOVER NEWS

Neighborhood Club Meets

The Neighborhood club of Salem street observed Gentleman's night last evening, the affair taking place at the home of Mrs. Harry Prescott. Cards were enjoyed, the following being the prize-winners: V. D. Harrington, first gentleman's; Mrs. Prescott, first lady's; booby prizes, Mrs. Hiland Holt and Miss Harriet Manning.

Among the guests present were: Joseph H. Blunt, Miss Sara Blunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Abbott Erving and the Misses Erving, Mrs. Fletcher, Miss Alice Bell, Howard Bell, Miss Lucia Merrill, Miss Manning, Miss Ella Foster, Geo. Foster, Mrs. Fred M. Temple, Mrs. Hill, Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Nesbit Gelson, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johnson.

Refreshments were served during the evening.

Unclaimed Letters

Baker, Miss Aline; Beoglin, Albert; Kimball, Mrs. Seth; Ladd, Delano; McDonald, Lee; Munn, Miss L.; Nickerson, Ralph C.; Phelps, Henry G.; Rand, Bessie M.; Seery, Margaret; Smith, Maggie; Taggart, Maggie; Vivian, Mrs. Robert H.; Wallace, C. H.; McKenna, Mrs. Bernard Chas.

Defending an Andover Industry

The following abstract from the Congressional Record shows that Congressman Rogers was alert to endeavor to protect the flax business of Andover from the very serious attack made upon it under the new Democratic tariff bill. Unfortunately it also shows that his efforts were as futile as have been all other efforts to retain the necessary protection for New England industries.

"The Clerk read as follows: '273. Flax, huddled, known as 'dressed line,' 1 1-2 cents per pound. Mr. ROGERS. Mr. Chairman, I offer the following amendment.

The Clerk read as follows: Page 70, line 6, after the word 'line,' strike out '1 1-2' and insert '2 1-2.'

Mr. ROGERS. Mr. Chairman, the old rates, as I recall them, of the paragraphs corresponding to paragraphs 272 and 273 were, respectively, 1 cent per pound in the former paragraph and 3 cents per pound in the latter. The rate in paragraph 272 has been reduced to one-half of 1 cent. There seems no good reason, then, for not assenting to a similar reduction of one-half of 1 cent on the present dressed-flax rate to 2 1-2 cents. The product referred to in paragraph 272 is the raw material for the commodity in paragraph 273.

There is in my district, in the town of Andover, one of the few hatching-flax plants in the United States—one of the half a dozen, I am told. About two months ago the operatives of that plant sent me a petition, asking me to come over from Lowell to Andover and listen to their story in connection with these two paragraphs of the tariff. I went there, and in an upper room in one of their mill buildings during the noon hour, the men having hurried back from dinner in order to be present, they explained their grievance. They told me, with every apparent sincerity, that if these compensatory duties between undressed flax on the one hand and the dressed flax on the other were not retained this branch of their activity, employing 100 men more or less in this mill alone, would be driven out of business, because the men in this country who make use of the flax would in that event have the hatching done on the other side, where they could have it done more cheaply than they could here. They pleaded with me, and I plead with you now, to retain this compensatory duty undiminished, so that this industry, one of only a half dozen in this country, and one which in no wise keeps up the price of the product of interferes with any other manufacture, may not be legislated out of existence.

Mr. PETERS. Mr. Chairman, I admire the sympathy of my colleague from Massachusetts, Mr. Rogers, for the employees affected by paragraphs 272 and 273, but I can not admire his accuracy. He complains that in changing the rates we have made rates which now place the men engaged in hatching flax at a disadvantage. I will inform him that we have cut much of the rates in half, using exactly the same language. At present paragraph 334 of the Payne Act fixes 1 cent per pound. We have made it one-half of 1 cent per pound. Section 273 of the present bill takes the place of section 335 of the present law and reduces the rate from 3 cents to 1 1-2 cents per pound. I think my arithmetic is accurate on this; and if not, I hope I will be corrected.

Mr. ROGERS. I would like to ask the gentleman this question: Is not it a question as to the protection afforded to the workman what the difference is between the two items and not what particular divisor you use in connection with each item?

Mr. PETERS. If we divide you receive the same ad valorem rate which you have at present.

Mr. ROGERS. You have 1 cent between the two rates in this Underwood bill. You had 2 cents between the two rates as compensatory duty in the old bill.

Summer Preparations at Northfield

Kenarden Hall, the new administration building at the Northfield Schools and Summer Conferences, is already the scene of active preparations for the thirty-first annual conference season. This building, which is the gift of Mrs. John S. Kennedy of New York City, in memory of her husband, greatly facilitates the Northfield work. It is centrally located and contains the administrative offices formerly in scattered and cramped quarters.

The summer work may be said to begin with the Seminary Commencement, June 7-10. Then follow in quick succession the Student Conference, June 20-29; the Young Women's Conference, July 2-9; the Summer School for Foreign Missionary societies, July 10-17; the Home Missionary Conference, July 18-24; the Summer School for Sunday School Workers, July 25-26; and the General Conference for Christian Workers, August 1-17. Some of the speakers already secured are Dr. John R. Mott, Dr. Robert E. Speer, Mrs. Helen Barrett Montgomery, Rev. J. Stuart Holden, Rev. John A. Hutton, Rev. A. T. Robertson, Rev. Charles Inglis, Rev. Len G. Broughton, Melvin Trotter, Dr. John Daniel Jones, Rev. F. Y. Pierce, and Dr. G. Campbell Morgan.

Deaths

In Lawrence, Monday, May 5, 1913, aged 70 years, Mrs. Catherine Turner Carr of Andover.

In Brooklyn, N. Y., Saturday, May 3, 1913, aged 77 years, William H. Chandler, formerly of Andover.

In Bryn Mawr, Pa., Sunday, May 4, 1913, aged 76 years, Sara Edwards Park, formerly of Andover.

In Lawrence, Thursday, May 1, 1913, aged 90 years, Ezekiel Wentworth Mathews, formerly of Andover.

In Lawrence, Thursday, May 1, 1913, aged 35 years, William J. Barrett, formerly of Andover.

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the river and the south canal on the turnpike near the "Andover bridge."

He served the Boston and Maine railroad as an engineer faithfully and acceptably for thirty years, until 1877. At the time of the memorable strike of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers in February of that year, he retired to a farm in Andover, located along the line of "the Old Railroad," on which for so many years he had operated a locomotive; lived there until 1902, when failing strength seemed to make it desirable to give up active work, and he again moved to Lawrence to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Emerson. Here his wife died, May 30, 1904, after almost sixty years of married life, and since her death his health has not been the best.

Mr. Mathews leaves to mourn his loss four children—Marcelle S. of Minneapolis, Minn.; Clarence W., professor of Botany and Horticulture, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky.; Charles D. of Coram, Cal., and Mrs. Frank Emerson of Lawrence; five grandchildren; a brother, John W. Mathews of North Wakefield, N. H., and one sister, Mrs. Sarah M. Wentworth of Boston.

The funeral was held from his late residence, 109 So. Broadway, at 2 o'clock on May 5.

WILLIAM J. BARRETT

The funeral of Wm. J. Barrett, who passed away last week at 88 Broadway, Lawrence, was held on Monday morning from the home of his brother, Patrick Barrett of Chestnut St. Requiem high mass was celebrated at St. Augustine's church at nine o'clock by Rev. William Donovan, and burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery. The pall bearers were Robert Patrick, and John Barrett, brothers of the deceased, William Dryden, John McDonald, and John Barrett.

The deceased was thirty-five years of age, and death followed after a long illness. Besides his brothers he is survived by his father, William Barrett.

Real Estate Opportunities

The firm of Brown & Stackpole of Tremont street, Boston, has cut up the Batchelder farm at Walnut Corner into house lots, which they are selling rapidly for all-year home sites, bungalow lots, etc. The lots are high and dry, very slightly, and have a frontage of about two miles on North Main and Lowell streets. Prices run from \$19 to \$150.

DOES NOT YIELD FAITH

Daughter of Ex-Governor Warfield Becomes Bride of Count

Baltimore, May 8.—Miss Louise Warfield, ex-Governor Warfield's daughter, did not abandon her religious faith when she married Count Vladimir Ledochowski here today.

"I have never even considered becoming a convert to Roman Catholicism," said Miss Warfield. "I cannot imagine how anyone gained any other impression."

So, it being a mixed marriage, the ceremony was performed in the Warfield home, not in the cathedral. Rev. Fr. Fletcher of the cathedral officiated. Cardinal Gibbons attended the wedding.

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